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CORN SHOW NOTES

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Frank Karges Jr. of Haven has on exhibit his corn which took fourth prize at the recent international show at Chicago. He did not enter it to compete for prizes, but has the corn on exhibition. It was grown in Mercer county.

The Center Commercial Club set down an attractive exhibit of cereal county corn, mounted on a big board covered with lavender paper. "It's better at center" is the slogan accompanying it.

The corn show committee, believing in economy, the show room is lighted with colored lights, which decorated the community Christmas tree. The decorations are those purchased by merchants for use at conventions and expositions.

Thirty entries were brought up from the Standing Rock Indian Agency by the reservation farmer, the corn having been grown by Sioux Indians.

Many banks sent in entries. The Coughwell State Bank handled entries for farmers in its territory.

John Fry of Turtle Lake and G. R. Montanez of Kalm were among those personally bringing in exhibits. William Trester, prominent farmer of the Sentinel Butte country, was another visitor. William Murphy came up from Valley City, bringing 30 splendid entries.

The Agricultural College sent 30 samples of fine corn with a history of its development. It was to be a special display.

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STANLEY BALDWIN OUT ROOSEVELT QUILTS

Presents Resignation and Advises King to Summon Labor Leader

CABINET FORMED

London, Jan. 22.—The new labor cabinet was officially announced today as follows: Ramsay MacDonald, premier and secretary for foreign affairs; John Robert Clynes, Lord Privy Seal and Deputy Leader in the House of Commons; Lord Parmoor, Lord President of the Council; Viscount Haldane, Lord Chancellor; Philip Snowden, Chancellor of the Exchequer; Arthur Henderson, Secretary for Home Affairs; J. H. Thomas, Secretary for the Colonies; Stephen Walsh, Secretary for War; Sir Sidney Olivier, head of the India office; Brig. Gen. Christopher Thompson, Air Minister; Viscount Chelmsford, First Lord of the Admiralty.

London, Jan. 22.—(By the A. P.)—Prime Minister Baldwin, shortly before noon today, tendered the resignation of his ministry to King George and advised the sovereign to end for James Ramsay MacDonald.

The King accepted Mr. Baldwin's advice and summoned Mr. MacDonald, the labor leader, for an audience at noon.

Mr. MacDonald's audience with the King lasted an hour. The King invited him to form a government and Mr. MacDonald accepted.

Mr. Baldwin on the assembling of the House of Commons announced the government's resignation and the King's acceptance. There was no labor cheer as the retiring premier made his statement. He moved the adjournment of parliament until February 12 which date he said had been chosen to meet Mr. MacDonald's constituents.

Mr. Baldwin said that members of his cabinet would retain their seats until the new cabinet members were appointed.

The new premier has not announced when he will name his cabinet for the first time. It is stated it will be Thursday.

The "no confidence" vote which doomed the Baldwin government was 328 to 259. Only nine liberals voted with the government.

Mr. MacDonald, it was stated this afternoon, will combine the foreign office with the premiership.

TAX STUDYING BODY NAMED

A tax studying commission for the south central section of the state, the third such group to be named, was appointed by Governor Nestor.

The members named are: P. W. Edley, W. B. DeNault, Albert Edley, H. H. Kirk, O. J. Seiler, Jake Yager, Oliver Bennett and Russell Wright, Jamestown; Hugh McDevitt, Valley City; H. W. Green, Lead; and Thomas Gudmestad, Litchville.

DEMOCRATS IN N. D. CALLED

Woolledge Issues Counter-Call To Holt's

Minot, Jan. 22.—A state-wide conference meeting of Democrats, both men and women, at Minot on the night of February 7 was called today by G. S. Woolledge, chairman of the Democratic state committee.

A meeting of the Democratic state committee was also made for the night of February 7 at Minot.

Today's call, Mr. Woolledge asserted definitely, counteracts "the authorized meeting called for Valley City on January 25."

The purpose of the meeting, Mr. Woolledge declared in his call is for the "discussion of ways and means of strengthening our party in the state that we may contribute our share towards a Democratic victory in November, to endeavor to further a Democratic victory in November, to endeavor to further a spirit of harmony and unity among Democrats, and to discourage needless dissension in our ranks."

BOLTON IS RECOMMENDED
Jamestown, N. D. Jan. 22.—Reappointment of Dr. R. A. Bolton as postmaster at Jamestown is recommended by Congressman George M. Young in a communication filed with him with the postoffice department. The annual salary is \$3,300. Dr. Bolton was certified as eligible No. 1 by the civil service commission.

SUMMON FALL ASSCANDAL ON LEASE BREAKS

Former Secretary of Interior Who Quit Under Harding, To Testify

Declares Sinclair Secretary Told Him Fall's Foreman Got \$68,000

Washington, Jan. 22.—Former Secretary Albert B. Fall has been subpoenaed by the senate public lands committee investigating the Teapot Dome oil lease to appear before it for further examination.

Meanwhile it was revealed that the Department of Justice, acting on the personal direction of President Coolidge, is observing the course of the senate investigation.

The President intends to take no other action, however, as long as the committee's inquiry is continued.

The committee will ask him again regarding the source from which he obtained \$100,000 in 1921 to enlarge his ranch holdings in New Mexico. The former Secretary of the Interior is now on record before the committee as asserting that he obtained the money from Edward B. McLean, the Washington newspaper publisher, but the latter has testified that the checks he gave Mr. Fall were returned uncashed.

WILL TESTIFY

New Orleans, Jan. 22.—Albert B. Fall, former Secretary of the Interior, will leave tonight on tomorrow morning for Washington to appear before the Senate public lands committee.

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MISS NORMAND, VICTIM, GREET HERCHAUFFEUR

Both Friendly to Horace Greer, Who Shot Dines in His Apartment

DINES SHAKES HANDS

Los Angeles, Jan. 22.—That "there appears to be a conspiracy to suppress evidence in the hearing of Horace Greer, chauffeur for Mabel Normand, film actress, charged with shooting Courtland Dines, oil man, was the statement made by Walter Hanby, hearing the case.

Los Angeles, Calif., Jan. 22.—(By the A. P.)—Having shaken hands with Courtland S. Dines, Denver oil man, who he shot and seriously wounded here New Year's night and having heard Dines say with a smile, "That's all right, old man," Horace Greer, chauffeur for Mabel Normand, screen actress, today prepared to sit through what was expected to be the concluding day of his preliminary hearing on a charge of attempting to kill the Denver man in Dines' apartment.

"At the hotel Manhattan hospital today Dines, looking from his bed at an extraordinary session of Justice Hanby's court, declared he did not remember what Greer said when he saw him New Year's night, did not see any pistol in the chauffeur's hand, did not remember whether or not he picked up a bottle when Greer entered his apartment and sought to persuade Miss Normand, Dines guest, to leave and could not say of his own knowledge that it was Greer who shot him.

"I remember Greer came in," he said, "and I remember hearing one shot—that's all, and the next thing I knew I was on the floor. No, I don't know of my own knowledge that Greer shot me."

Friendly to Greer

Greer was present and when in hearing was over he went to Dines' bedside and shook hands with the oil man. He was friendly toward Greer, who took the witness stand and told his story of the shooting. While Greer listened closely his memory was hazy as to much of what transpired in a dark apartment New Year's night but she was sure she did not hear the shooting.

"I was only sure I heard the sound of like fire crackers going off and I made no objection to them because I am used to fire crackers and all that sort of thing around the studio."

She was with Edna Purziance, another actress, at the time in a hotel room.

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SOVIET LEADER MADE REMARKABLE RISE TO POWER DURING WORLD WAR



Exiled, a Fugitive, Nikolai Lenin Came Back From Germany to Promote Russian Revolution—Changed Policy Since He Became Premier, Returning Russia To Capitalist Idea of Government

(By the Associated Press)

Nikolai Lenin, lawyer, editor and finally dictator of all Russia, was the organizer and exponent of the movement which became known as Bolshevism and which he characterized as the "Great Experiment, the dictatorship of the proletariat."

Permitted by Germany to pass through that country in the midst of the war, Lenin returned to Russia from his exile in Switzerland in the spring of 1917, organized an economic revolution and eight months later succeeded in overthrowing the then existing Provisional Government, of which Alexander Kerensky was Premier.

Aided by Leon Trotsky, formerly a New York East Side newspaper man, and by the powerful Russian Communist party, Lenin immediately set up the Bolshevik or Soviet regime with himself as Premier and announced that he would apply the theories of Karl Marx to "the ascendency of the common people."

From that moment life in Russia was turned topsy-turvy. Factories were taken over by the workers, who dictated wages and working conditions to the helpless manufacturers. Great estates were confiscated by the peasants who divided them among themselves. The aristocracy fled to any kind of safety it could find and the middle class, or bourgeoisie, became special objects for the hatred of the masses. Free trade between persons was abolished, and in its stead was established a system of government controlled commissaries, which rationed food to the Communists but not to the bourgeoisie. The use of money was condemned and grain, manufactured products and labor became the chief mediums of exchange.

Change in Policy

Four long dismal years passed with these policies clamped upon a people who had been used to the rule of a few capitalists and a few landlords. In December, 1921, Lenin began to admit the failure of many of his policies and decided to announce a revolution which was to be a "return to the old ways."

Working to a friend who was with him in the days of his exile, he stated without qualification that "the Russian workers and peasants have no right to be deceived by the capitalists and the bourgeoisie."

"I was mistaken in the course of the revolution," he said, "and I am now announcing a return to the old ways."

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BRITISH O. K. BOOZE TREATY

London, Jan. 22.—By the Associated Press.—The British House of Commons today unanimously approved the draft of the Anglo-American liquor treaty submitted to them by the British government. The draft was approved by a vote of 319 to 1.

The state railroad commission on January 22 held the first of the "Zap" (Zap) hearings against the Northern Pacific Railway being a complaint that such charges be made as to the rates on the line.

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Soviet Premier, Ill For a Long Time, Succumbs at Country Villa Near Moscow

SPECULATION IS RIFE

Soviet Declares His Death Will Not Be Followed by General Disquiet

Moscow, Russia, Jan. 22.—(By the A. P.)—Nikolai Lenin, premier of Soviet Russia, is dead.

The end came at 5:50 o'clock Monday afternoon but the death was not announced for sometime afterwards.

Lenine's death occurred at his country villa near Moscow where he has been living in retirement. It came after a sudden turn for the worse culminating in a stroke which paralyzed his respiratory organism.

Announcement of the death was made by the all-Russian Soviet this morning.

Representatives of foreign diplomatic missions and others with whom the correspondents talked after the announcement agreed in expressing the opinion that Lenine's death would probably produce no general disquiet in Russia, but nevertheless would have an important political effect. So long as he was alive, although not actively participating in the government he was at least its titular head and his death now opens the position to other leaders.

Unexpected to Majority

Newspapers, while not unexpected, to those who have been close to him in the Soviet council came unexpectedly to the great majority, as the most recent report had been that he was considerably improved in health. While he has been continuously ill since June, 1922, public attention has been more directed to the differences among the Communist party leaders, and particularly to the status of Leon Trotsky, who it was recently announced, was in poor health and had gone away for a rest.

Had Predicted Recovery

Little has been said publicly in Soviet official quarters lately of Lenine's condition but that little seemed to be of a hopeful nature, and it was not long ago that some of the comrades of his active days were predicting that he would soon be able to advise with the council of ministers.

Death of Premier Lenine leaves domestic political affairs and relations of Russia in a tangled state following as it does the virtual disappearance of Leon Trotsky from the affairs of the Communist party and Secretary Hughes' recent rejection of trade relations with the United States, it appeared probable that removal of his influence would further increase the chaotic state of affairs.

LYNGSTAD IS CANDIDATE

Deputy State Treasurer To Seek Steen's Place

John O. Lyngstad, deputy state treasurer, will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for state treasurer in the June primary. Although Mr. Lyngstad has made no formal statement of his candidacy, he today confirmed reports that he intends to be in the race. John Steen, state treasurer, is barred from being a candidate in the election because a state treasurer cannot serve more than two consecutive terms.

Mr. Lyngstad came to North Dakota in 1888 when his parents settled on a farm in Traill county. After receiving his education, meantime engaged in farm work, he entered business and for eight years was cashier of the First National bank at Halstead, Minn. Subsequently he was cashier of the Citizens State bank of Rugby and then of the state treasurer's office as Mr. Steen's deputy. Between terms he engaged in business in Jamestown. Mr. Lyngstad has been deputy state treasurer during the entire tenure of office of Mr. Steen of almost eight years.

REVOKED LICENSE

The state licensing department has revoked the license of William Gabel to conduct a pool hall at Sixth street and Broadway, Bismarck, on the ground that liquor was sold on the premises.

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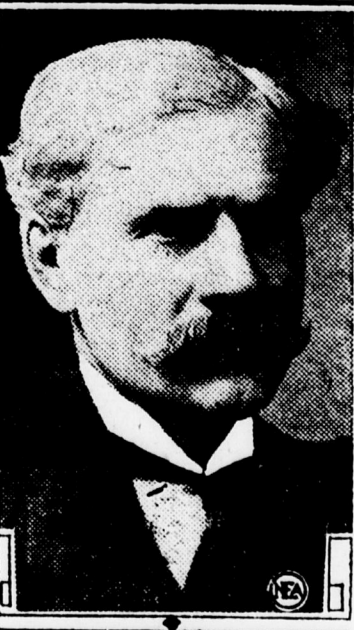
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The King accepted Mr. Baldwin's advice and summoned Mr. MacDonald, the labor leader, for an audience at noon.

Mr. MacDonald's audience with the King lasted an hour. The King invited him to form a government and Mr. MacDonald accepted.

Mr. Baldwin on the resumption of the House of Commons announced the government's resignation and the King's acceptance. There was no labor cheer as the retiring premier made his statement. He moved the adjournment of parliament until February 12 which date, he said, had been chosen to meet Mr. MacDonald's convenience. Mr. Baldwin said the members of his cabinet would retain their seats until the new cabinet members were appointed.

The new premier has not announced when he will name his cabinet but unofficially it is stated it will be Thursday.

The "no confidence" vote which doomed the Baldwin government was 328 to 256. Only nine liberals voted with the government.

Mr. MacDonald, it was stated this afternoon, will combine the foreign office with the premiership.

TAX STUDYING BODY NAMED

A tax studying commission for the south central section of the state, the third such group to be named, was appointed by Governor Nestos. The members named are: P. W. Eddy, W. B. DeNault, Albert Edifast, H. H. Kirk, O. J. Sells, Jake Yager, Oliver Bennett and Russell Wright, Jamestown; Hugh McDonald, Valley City; H. W. Green, Lead; and Thomas Gudmestad, Littleville.

DEMOCRATS IN N. D. CALLED

Woolledge Issues Counter-Call To Holt's

Minot, Jan. 22.—A state-wide conference meeting of Democrats, both men and women, at Minot on the night of February 7 was called today by G. S. Woolledge, chairman of the Democratic state committee. A meeting of the Democratic state central committee was also made for the afternoon of February 7 at Minot.

Today's call, Mr. Woolledge asserted, definitely counteracts "the authorized meeting called for Valley City on January 25."

The purpose of the meeting, Mr. Woolledge declared in his call is for the "discussion of ways and means of strengthening our party in the state that we may contribute our share towards a Democratic victory in November, to endeavor to further a Democratic victory in November, to endeavor to further a spirit of harmony and unity among Democrats and to discourage needless discussion in our ranks."

BOLTON IS RECOMMENDED

Jamestown, N. D., Jan. 22.—Reappointment of Dr. R. A. Bolton as postmaster at Jamestown is recommended by Congressmen George M. Young in a communication filed by him with the postoffice department. The annual salary is \$3,300. Dr. Bolton was certified as eligible No. 1, by the civil service commission.

SUMMON FALL AS SCANDAL ON LEASE BREAKS

Former Secretary of Interior, Who Quit Under Harding, To Testify

Declares Sinclair Secretary Told Him Fall's Foreman Got \$68,000

Washington, Jan. 22.—Former Secretary Albert B. Fall has been subpoenaed by the senate public lands committee investigating the Teapot Dome oil lease to appear before it for further examination.

Meanwhile it was revealed that the Department of Justice, acting on the personal direction of President Coolidge, is "observing the course of the Senate investigation."

The president intends to take no other action, however, as long as the committee's inquiry is continued. The committee will ask him again regarding the source from which he obtained \$100,000 in 1921 to enlarge his ranch holdings in New Mexico. The former Secretary of the Interior is now on record before the committee as asserting that he obtained the money from Edward B. McLean, the Washington newspaper publisher, but the latter has testified that the checks he gave Mr. Fall were returned uncashed.

WILL TESTIFY

New Orleans, Jan. 22.—Albert B. Fall, former Secretary of the Interior, will leave tonight or tomorrow morning for Washington to appear before the Senate public lands committee.

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MISS NORMAND, VICTIM, GREET'S HERCHAUFFEUR

Both Friendly to Horace Greer, Who Shot Dines in His Apartment

DINES SHAKES HANDS

Los Angeles, Jan. 22.—That "there appears to be a conspiracy to suppress evidence in the hearing of Horace Greer, chauffeur for Mabel Normand, film actress, charged with shooting Courtney Dines, oil man, was the statement made from the bench today by Walter Hanby, hearing the case.

Los Angeles, Calif., Jan. 22.—(By the A. P.)—Having shaken hands with Courtney D. Dines, Denver oil man, whom he shot and seriously wounded here New Year's night, and having heard Dines say with a smile "that's all right, old man," Horace Greer, chauffeur for Mabel Normand, screen actress, today prepared to sit through what was expected to be the concluding day of his preliminary hearing on a charge of attempting to kill the Denver man in Dines' apartment.

"At the Good Samaritan hospital yesterday Dines, testifying from his bed at an extraordinary session of Justice Hanby's court, declared he did not remember what Greer said when he saw him New Year's night, did not see any pistol in the chauffeur's hand, did not remember whether or not he picked up a bottle when Greer entered his apartment and sought to persuade Miss Normand, Dines' guest, to leave and could not say of his own knowledge that it was Greer who shot him.

"I remember Greer came in," he said, "and I remember hearing one shot—that's all, and the next thing I knew I was on the floor. No I don't know of my own knowledge that Greer shot me."

Greer was present and, when the hearing was over he went to Dines' bedside and shook hands. In the earlier part of the day Miss Normand, flashing a friendly "howdy-do" toward Greer she took the witness stand and told her story of the shooting, while Greer listened closely. Her memory was hazy as to much of what transpired in Dines' apartment New York's night but she was sure she did not hear the shooting and was only sure she heard "what sounded like fire crackers going off and I made no objection to them because I am used to fire crackers and all that sort of thing around the studio."

She was with Edna Purviance, another actress, at the time in a bedroom. Illness prevented Mrs. Edith Burns, Miss Normand's companion, from being in court to tell what she knew of the case and it was indicated another extraordinary session might be held at her home.

SOVIET LEADER MADE REMARKABLE RISE TO POWER DURING WORLD WAR



Exiled, a Fugitive, Nikolai Lenin Came Back From Germany to Promote Russian Revolution—Changed Policy Since He Became Premier, Returning Russia To Capitalist Idea of Government

(By the Associated Press.)

Nikolai Lenin, lawyer, editor and finally dictator of all Russia, was the organizer and exponent of the movement which became known as Bolshevism and which he characterized as "The Great Experiment; the dictatorship of the proletariat."

Permitted by Germany to pass through that country in the midst of the war, Lenin returned to Russia from his exile in Switzerland in the spring of 1917, organized an economic revolution and eight months later, by overthrowing the then existing Provisional Government, became Premier.

Aided by Leon Trotsky, formerly a New York East Side newspaperman, and by the powerful Russian Communist party, Lenin immediately set up the Bolshevik or Soviet regime with himself as Premier and announced that he would apply the theories of Karl Marx to accomplish "the ascendancy of the common people."

From that moment life in Russia was turned topsy-turvy. Factories were taken over by the workers, who dictated wages and working conditions to the helpless manufacturers. Great estates were confiscated by the peasants, who divided them among themselves. The aristocracy fled to any kind of safety it could find and persons were abolished, and in its stead was established a system of government controlled commissaries which rationed food to the Communists but not to the bourgeoisie. The use of money was condemned and grain, manufactured products and labor became the chief mediums of exchange.

Change in Policy

Four long, dismal years passed with these policies clamped upon a famine stricken nation before Lenin, in December, 1921, began to admit the failure of many of his most cherished ideals and to announce a revision of the basic principles upon which his regime was founded.

Writing to a friend who was with him in the days of his exile, he stated without qualification that "the Russian workers and peasants have betrayed their own interests."

"I was mistaken in them," he continued. "The inefficiency of the people around me and the bourgeois tendencies which gnaw more and more at the organism of the party are wearing me down. Government work is impossible in the way it is carried on there."

In an epochal speech delivered early in November, 1921, before the Second Russian Assembly for Political Education, Lenin publicly admitted the failure of his past policies and explained the necessity for an economic departure.

"We met with a bad defeat and have undertaken a strategic retreat," he admitted. "Before they have thrashed us definitely, let us retreat and construct everything over again but more solidly." He proposed at least a partial re-establishment of capitalist principles; a reversion to free trade; the imposition of taxes on land; abolishment of free transportation and the acceptance of outside aid for the millions of starving Russians.

It was the great peasant class and its refusal to accept the principles of Communism, coupled with the destructive drought and resultant famine of 1921-22 that finally brought about Lenin's capitulation. With the small farmer flatly refusing to deliver up his scant crops requisitioned by the Soviet state and millions perishing from hunger throughout the nation, the self-appointed Premier could see nothing but black clouds ahead.

COAL CASE SET

The state railroad commission will, on February 25, hear the case of the Zap Colliery Company against the Northern Pacific Railway, being a complaint that switching charges between points on the spur track serving the mine and Republic Junction are unjust, unreasonable, discriminatory and illegal, in the United States Court rooms. The hearing will be jointly with the Interstate Commerce Commission's representative.

BRITISH O. K. BOOZE TREATY

London, Jan. 22.—(By the Associated Press.)—The British Dominions have unanimously approved the draft of the Anglo-American liquor treaty submitted to them by the British government. The draft thus approved has been agreed on by the London and Russian governments.

Born in 1870.

Lenin was born April 24, 1870 in (Continued on page 7)

GREAT CHANGES IN RUSSIA MAY FOLLOW DEATH

Soviet Premier, Ill For a Long Time, Succumbs at Country Villa Near Moscow

SPECULATION IS RIFE

Soviet Declares His Death Will Not Be Followed by General Disquiet

Moscow, Russia, Jan. 22.—(By the A. P.)—Nikolai Lenin, premier of Soviet Russia, is dead.

The end came at 5:50 o'clock Monday afternoon but the death was not announced for sometime afterwards.

Lenin's death occurred at his country villa near Moscow where he has been living in retirement. It came after a sudden turn for the worse, culminating in a stroke which paralyzed his respiratory organism.

Announcement of the death was made by the all-Russian Soviet this morning.

Representative of foreign diplomatic missions and others with whom the correspondents talked after the announcement agreed in expressing the opinion that Lenin's death would probably produce no general disquiet in Russia, but nevertheless would have an important political effect. So long as he was alive, although not actively participating in the government he was at least its titular head and his death now opens the position to other leaders.

Unexpected to Majority

News of his death, while not unexpected to those who have been close to him in the Soviet councils, came unexpectedly to the great majority, as the most recent reports had been that he was considerably improved in health. While there has been continuous anxiety for his condition since he was stricken in June, 1922, public attention has been more directed to the differences among the Communist party leaders and particularly to the status of Leon Trotsky, who it was recently announced, was in poor health and had gone since for medical treatment.

Had Predicted Recovery

Little has been said publicly in Soviet official quarters lately of Lenin's condition but that little seemed to be of a hopeful nature, and it was not long ago that some of the active days of his life were predicted, thus he would soon be able to advise with the council of ministers.

Death of Premier Lenin leaves domestic political affairs and relations of Russia in a tangled state. Following as it does the virtual disappearance of Leon Trotsky from the affairs of the Communist party and Secretary Hughes' recent rejection of trade relations with the United States it appeared probable further removal of his influence will further increase the chaotic state of affairs.

LYNGSTAD IS CANDIDATE

Deputy State Treasurer To Seek Steen's Place

John O. Lyngstad, deputy state treasurer, will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for state treasurer in the June primary. Although Mr. Lyngstad has made no formal statement of his candidacy, he intends to be in the race. John Steen, state treasurer, is barred from being a candidate in the election because a state treasurer cannot serve more than two consecutive terms.

Mr. Lyngstad came to North Dakota in 1888 when his parents settled on a farm in Traill county. After receiving his education, meantime engaged in farm work, he entered business and in 1908 was cashier of the First National bank at Halstead, Minn. Subsequently he was cashier of the Citizens State bank of Rugby and then entered the state treasurer's office as Mr. Steen's deputy. Between terms he engaged in business in Jamestown. Mr. Lyngstad has been deputy state treasurer during the entire tenure of office of Mr. Steen of almost eight years.

REVOKE LICENSE

The state licensing department has revoked the license of William Gabel to conduct a pool hall Sixth street and Broadway, Bismarck, on the ground that liquor was sold on the premises.

DOUBLING OF LIGNITE HEAT HELD POSSIBLE

United States Bureau of Mines Report Tells of Success in Experiments

CARBONIZE. BRIQUET
These Two Methods Are Used in Producing Favorable Results. It Is Said

Doubling the heat value of lignite coal and making it possible to produce, on a commercial scale, an excellent substitute for anthracite, are two of the outstanding results brought about by the United States Bureau of Mines.

Probably one of the most technical and exhaustive studies that has been made on lignite, at least in this country, is contained quite fully in Bulletin No. 221, "Production and Briquetting of Carbonized Lignite," the United States Bureau of Mines, Department of Interior, which has just come from the government press at Washington. This bulletin was prepared jointly by Dr. E. J. Babcock, Dean of the College of Engineering of the University of North Dakota and Mr. W. W. Odell, Fuel Engineer of the United States Bureau of Mines.

In presenting the bulletin attention is directed to the vast deposits of lignite, especially those of North Dakota, and the active interest the Bureau of Mines has taken in their development and utilization, adding that the people living in the region in which the vast deposits occur are vitally interested in every effort to develop their utilization.

Carbonizing and briquetting of the new lignite is the method by which the approximate doubling of the calorific value of lignite and making it a substitute for anthracite is made possible. A special design of oven was made in the cooperative work and is believed by using the principle of carbonizing and briquetting of the new lignite and the method of carbonizing and briquetting along with the oven, the briquetting of lignite can be made economically and commercially practical.

Foreign Methods
The report refers to the methods used in Germany and other parts of Europe for the briquetting of lignite and points out that it has been found in general that the methods are not directly applicable to our American lignites, because of important differences in the characteristics of our lignites and those of most European lignites, and for these reasons it became necessary to work out new methods which would be successfully applied to the treatment of the great lignite deposits of the west central part of the United States.

Various methods and adaptations of them of the various descriptions which have been tried out and those which have been developed in the different stages of the investigation, which have been made at the United States and the Mining Substation. This is followed by a very exhaustive report of the design and operation of the carbonizing and briquetting ovens and the briquetting equipment and plant as it eventually developed into its present very efficient form.

Full details of the design, operation and products of this plant are given. The bulletin carries large

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Benjamin F. Nebe, 215 East Park Ave., Wisconsin, who is another man of prominence in the business and civic affairs of his community, to speak not in behalf of the Tanlac treatment. Mr. Nebe recently said: "Tanicl has brought me relief from stomach trouble of five years standing, a strong natural appetite and a return to the best physical condition since the days of my youth."

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SCHOOL BOARD PLANS FIGHT ON TAX BILL

Opposes Gunderson Measure to Limit Taxes Which May be Levied

The school board in charge of the Leonard public schools, composed of John W. Goodman, president, M. N. Terasant, Geo. Elliott, Thos. F. Gunderson and Wm. M. Gahagan, has adopted resolutions opposing the proposed initiative tax reduction bill advocated by J. G. Gunderson, president of the North Dakota Taxpayers' Association. The resolution reads:

"Whereas: An organization is being formed within the State known as 'The Taxpayers' Association'. The avowed purpose of which is to initiate a law making it mandatory upon the governing boards of the various political subdivisions of the State and Counties, to reduce all tax levies for a period of three years, to such figures as shall not exceed 65 per cent of the levy for the year 1923 and

"Whereas: Such a movement, were it to become a law, when applied to our schools would disrupt our Educational System and close most of the High Schools within the State for a period of three years, thereby denying to the majority of children an Education facilities beyond that of the eighth grade for the period above mentioned and

"Whereas: We readily recognize the urgent necessity existing for a tax reduction in the State, we also realize that the youth of our State must be educated in a competitive way with the residents of other States having higher educational qualifications, we therefore consider this movement when applied to our schools to be constitutionally unjust, educationally wrong, and economically unsound.

"Therefore be it resolved by the Board of Education of Leonard Special School District No. 54, of Cass County

"First: That we vigorously protest against the initiating of any measure that would deny to any Board of Education the right to levy such a tax as it may deem necessary to properly educate the youth within its district.

"Second: That we use our best efforts to discourage the signing of any petitions leading to educational retrogression.

"Third: That we believe the youth of our own district and of the State of North Dakota are entitled to the same educational facilities as those offered by adjoining States, and that we solemnly pledge our earnest efforts to maintain the present high educational standard of the State.

"Fourth: Be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the press of the State for publication with a view to causing the people of our State to think seriously before joining in any movement embodying such tragic possibilities.

WOMEN MAY SIT ON JURY

Pt. Yates, N. D., Jan. 21.—The next list of jury "men," drawn for the May term of the district court in Sioux county, will in all probability contain the names of a few women. Hitherto no women's names have been drawn on jury lists as there were no women's names in the jury box. The county commissioners, thought at their meeting here last week, in selecting names to bring the number in the jury box up to the required amount, included many women's names.

STATE 'U' MEN FOR BOK PLAN

Majority of Professors Favor Acceptance of It

Grand Forks, Jan. 21.—Sentiment favoring the Bok peace plan is expressed by the faculty members of the University of North Dakota.

"I am glad to express my hearty approval of the Bok peace plan," said Dean Vernon P. Squires, of the college of liberal arts.

"I believe the plan submitted and adopted by the jury of the American peace award will aid in world cooperation," said Dean O. P. Cockerill, of the school of law.

"I am thoroughly in favor of the plan," said Professor G. E. Hult.

"As an avowed lover of peace and doing away with the outworn policy of warring wars," Dean Squires, said, "I am glad to express my hearty approval of the Bok peace plan."

"I should have been willing to go further than this plan proposes. Personally, I should have no fear in following Chief Justice Taft, Secretary Hughes, Elihu Root, and many more of our sanest leaders in urging our government to enter the League of Nations at once, but it would seem that largely on account of political complications there is no immediate likelihood of our doing so."

"Accordingly I welcome the Bok plan which seems to be a very happy compromise by which most of the alleged objections to membership in the League are done away with, while a number of the advantages accruing from such membership may be secured."

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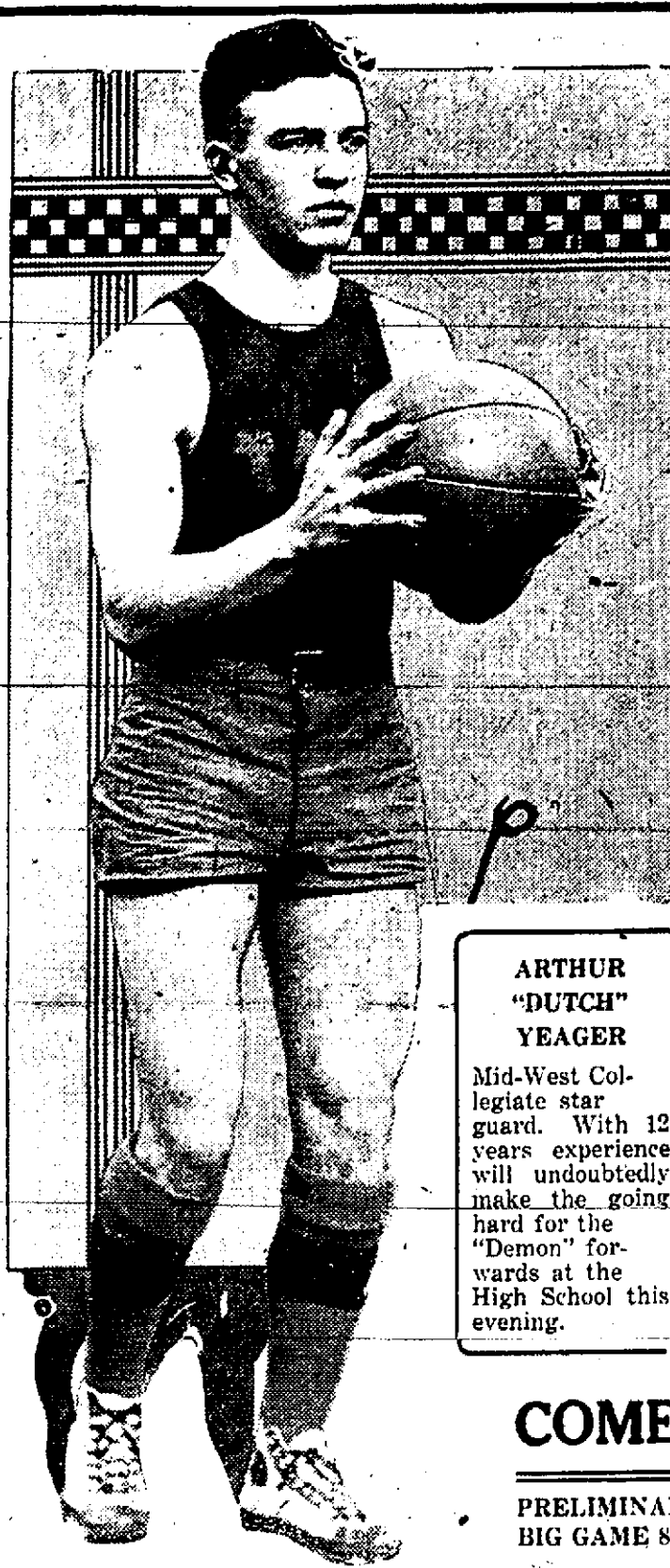
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The North Star News-Makers, composed of Spike Thayer, pianist; Anton Fiemer, harp; Martin Meisner, cornet; Gus Young, saxophone and Harry Smith, drums, has signed a contract to provide music on the U. S. S. President Madison, sailing from Seattle February 14 on a 35-day tour of the Orient, members of the orchestra announced today. The passengers will enjoy music for the passengers, including special concerts at various cities. The ship will touch Yokohama and Kobe, Japan; Shanghai, China, Manila, Philippine Islands, and other ports. The five plan to leave Bismarck next Monday.

CORN NEW WORLD'S GIFT TO OLD, SAYS KITCHEN

CORN RAISING FITS IN N. D. ROTATION PLAN

Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor Sees Corn Growing on Increase

PROSPERITY CRITERION

BY JOSEPH A. KITCHEN,
Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor.

Corn is the only cereal the New World gave to the old. Corn had grown in America from untraced time and its culture in America antedates the romance of the world's greatest adventurer and discoverer—Columbus—for probable past ages. In the area designated in geographies as North Dakota, nomadic tribes grew this plant as a useful food for man and quadruped.

The United States is the greatest corn producing country. The average yield in the United States for 1923 has been estimated by the federal Department of Agriculture as 23.2 bushels per acre. The number of bushels produced in the United States last year was estimated at 2,590,712,000 bushels. These figures are almost beyond the human mind conception. But, what an enormous amount! The U. S. of Amer. Agriculture figured, a year's crop of U. S. corn if placed on wagons, 59 bushels to a load, and allowing 20 feet per wagon, that such an arrangement would reach around the world NINE times.

At present corn fits in the North Dakota plan for crop rotation just about 100 percent. While many thousands of acres of another cultivated crop, potatoes, are annually raised, the potato acreage will never be sufficient for a crop rotation plan calling for a cultivated crop; and certainly no other crop in a rotation will afford sufficient cultivable land. Also, the promising yields of corn from year to year in North Dakota is an inspiration to all actual farmers who know a cultivated crop is essential to North Dakota farming success. Besides it provided work for help and horses during the summer between seasons when other cereals are planted and reaped. Corn is not a "cash" but generally a "feed" crop. Fields of corn denote stock and hogs and cheese factories and creameries. The percentage of corn to other crops may safely be taken as a criterion of the prosperity of a North Dakota farmer—anyway it soon will be. Cornfields give us an index of the farmer's plan and speak for a careful farmer; a weedy cornfield is the earmark of farming decadence.

From 1918 when the state had 361,762 acres in corn to 1922 with 776,756 acres, each year has seen a remarkable increase in corn acreage; the 1924 acreage will exceed 1,000,000 acres. For the same period of time, the acreages of clover and alfalfa increased from 45,000 to 155,843 acres; the pounds of butterfat marketed through cream station only, from 7,315,859 pounds in 1918 to 19,817,026 in 1923. Give the farmers of North Dakota a fair price for their products in comparison to manufactured articles, freight rates, labor, etc., and the state will emerge, phoenix-like, and prosperity will reign. We are engaging in these diverse farm operations fast and safe enough if the geometric progression of acreages and milk production continues.

BOWMAN MAKES GOOD RECORD

Bowman, N. D., Jan. 22.—Grain, livestock, produce and coal shipped during 1923 from six Bowman county towns was valued at \$2,280,525.75, showing a gain of \$181,187.47 over

North Dakota Blazes New Pathway

By Joseph Devine,
Commissioner of Immigration.

Today King corn is enthroned in Bismarck, therefore, "Long live the King." Today North Dakota blazes a new pathway in the march toward successful diversification of farm crops. The State Corn Show is on in full swing. Individual exhibits coming from all sections and corners of the State is so great in quantity, variety and excellence of quality that it fairly thrills one who views it and at the same time grasps its great far-reaching agricultural significance. It is an epoch making day in the history of the State. It proclaims the dawn of a bigger, better day for all who live within our borders, both of city and farm. The extent, completeness and high quality of the exhibit is in every way gratifying and fully carries out the Bismarck idea and object of the State Corn Show viz: Each for all and all for the State.

1922 shipments, according to a survey and tabulation made by the First National bank of Bowman, N. D.

The City of Bowman was the shipping point of products valued at \$225,676.75, a gain of \$96,148.49 over the value of 1922 exports.

From Scranton, in the lignite coal country, 496 cars of lignite coal, valued at \$13,400, were shipped, the value of the coal being nearly one-third of the wheat export.

EQUALIZING OF PRICE LEVELS MONTANA PLAN

Commissioner of Agriculture Here Outlines Support for McNary Bill

WALLACE FOR IT

Montana officials, farmers and business men feel that nothing will meet the needs of the farming situation in the Northwest that does not have for its basis an equalizing of the price of farm products with the general price level of the country. Commissioner of Agriculture C. C. Davis of Helena, Montana, said while in Bismarck on his way to Washington to confer with President Coolidge and Secretary of Agriculture, Mr. Davis discussed agricultural conditions with officials and citizens here.

Montana is backing the McNary-Haugen bill which is designed to bring about this equalization. Mr. Davis said. The McNary-Haugen bill, which is designed to bring about this equalization, Mr. Davis said. The McNary-Haugen bill, which is designed to bring about this equalization, Mr. Davis said.

Using the average price of commodities prior to the war as a normal basis, a comparison of commodity prices for the last three years shows that wheat, hogs and other agricultural and livestock products are proportionately lower in price than other commodities, he said. If wheat were being sold on a level with prices of other commodities it would command 50 cents a bushel more than it now does, he said. The purpose of the McNary-Haugen bill, he said, is to either lower the other commodity prices or to raise the wheat price to that level.

The proposal on which Montana is united, he said, is that an agricultural export corporation be formed by the government, that it purchase the exportable surplus, sell it and then allow the wheat sold at a higher domestic price to absorb the loss. What is asked of Congress, he said, is machinery that will put into operation the principles of tariff and similar protection on farm products which now are sold on a world mar-

PLAN LACKING TO AID BANKS IN SO. DAKOTA

That State and Nebraska Held Chief Concern of Federal Financiers

NORTH DAKOTA LEFT OUT

Chicago, Jan. 22.—(By the A. P.)—Representatives of the financial powers of the government named by President Coolidge went at their task today after conferences lasting until midnight last night in efforts to find a prompt and effectual means for bolstering up the credit of the Northwest.

Banking representatives from Chicago and several states, including the Dakotas and Minnesota, met with federal officials, Henry Dawes, controller of the currency; Eugene Meyer, Jr., director of the War Finance Corporation; J. H. Cunningham and George F. James, members of the federal reserve board.

Although Controller Dawes, in charge of the conferences has applied himself to the banking problems of the Northwest since he and his party arrived yesterday afternoon and kept the conferences continuing until midnight, he had withheld any public statement as to how it was planned to relieve conditions in South Dakota, where a half dozen banks have closed since January 1, and in Montana, where a similar situation prevails, and in Minnesota and Nebraska.

With the Northwest clamoring for immediate aid, especially outside of federal assistance, Mr. Dawes and his conferees, back at the conference room at 10 o'clock to resume their work, left off at midnight.

It is understood the officials will visit South Dakota, Nebraska and other middle western states of the wheat belt to investigate depression conditions. They will report on the advisability of emergency action by the government to help western banks until they are able to realize on assets classified as "frozen" because of inability of farmers to discharge their indebtedness.

SENATOR KNUTE NELSON HAD \$119,586 ESTATE
Fergus Falls, Minn., Jan. 22.—The appraisers of the estate of the late United States Senator Knute Nelson have just filed their report in the probate court at Alexandria and place his estate at \$119,586.52.

Capital invested in the coal business of the United States totals \$2,330,000,000.

WHAT SHOW IS ALL ABOUT



One of North Dakota's Fine Corn Fields.

HOW CORN, COWS INCREASED IN N. D.

The following table of the state department of Agriculture shows the great increase in cows and corn in the state:

1913	Butterfat marketed thru cream stations for fiscal years, beginning July 1, 1913 and ending June 30th.	Total Dollars	Cows used for milking	Sweet Clover & Alfalfa	Corn Acreage
1914	3,726,374	873,177.93	190,824	18,951	372,896
1915	5,116,678	1,367,612.09	210,306	37,209	not complete
1916	5,777,687	1,452,301.07	221,016	51,982	not complete
1917	6,258,390	2,111,633.80	230,290	61,474	491,230
1918	7,315,859	2,901,100.00	290,282	45,000	361,762
1919	12,718,509	6,644,541.00	289,851	50,550	443,410
1920	11,768,276	6,426,520.00	298,138	92,540	609,788
1921	13,029,358	5,450,278.00	315,115	107,245	671,905
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1923	19,817,026	7,468,623.89		155,843	776,756

Estimated for year 1923, by assessors.

COOLIDGE FOR COULTER PLAN

President Gives Unqualified Endorsement of Bill

Washington, Jan. 22.—President Coolidge gave his unqualified endorsement today to the Burdick-Norbeck bill for government loans to Northwestern farmers for purchase of livestock.

The President announced his endorsement of the measure after a conference with members of the house agricultural committee to whom he offered his assistance in bringing about this enactment. The bill is based on a plan worked out by Dr. John Lee Coulter and F. E. Murphy, publisher of the Minneapolis Tribune, both of whom held several conferences with Mr. Coolidge last fall.

Mr. Coolidge regards the measure as directly in line with his recommendation in his message to Congress that such loans as are needed to assist buying stock and other materials should be financed through a government agency as a temporary and emergency expedient. Safeguards should be thrown about these loans, Mr. Coolidge believes, so that farmers taking advantage of them could not be foreclosed by other creditors.

AGAINST CHANGE
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DANGER IN DELAY

Kidney Diseases Are Too Dangerous For Bismarck People to Neglect.

The great danger of kidney troubles is that they so often get a firm hold before the sufferer recognizes them. Health will be gradually undermined. Backache, headache, nervousness, lameness, soreness, lumbar, urinary troubles, dropsy, gravel and Bright's disease may follow as the kidneys get worse. Don't neglect your kidneys. Help the kidneys with Doan's Pills, which are so strongly recommended right here in Bismarck.

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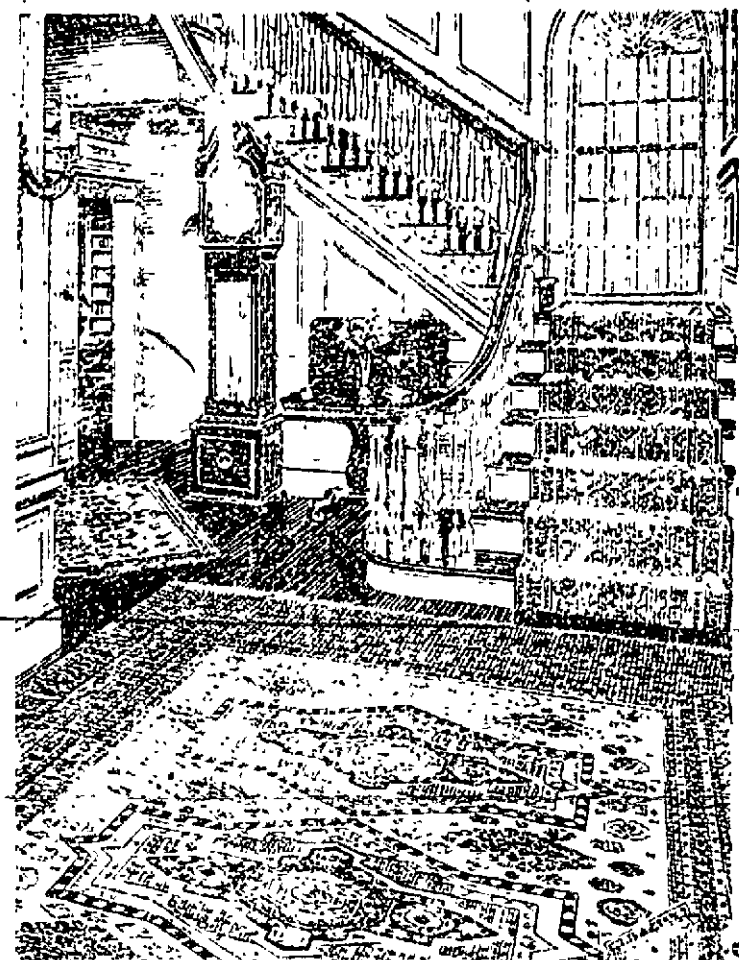
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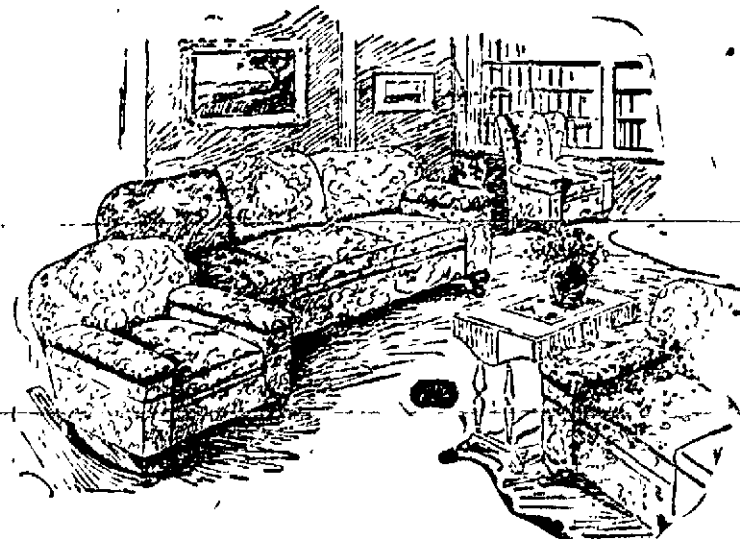
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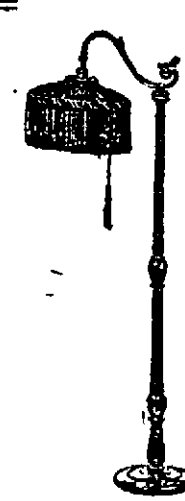
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QUITS COMPANY
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Mr. Wahlberg, closely pressed by members of the committee, denied he had made any statement that he had cancelled checks and declared emphatically and repeatedly that he had no knowledge of any money or other consideration having passed between Mr. Sinclair and Mr. Hall.

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Archie and Theodore Roosevelt were recalled and reiterated their statements. Archie said he had talked with Wahlberg over the telephone about 1:00 o'clock yesterday morning, Theodore listening in, and had obtained from Wahlberg full confirmation of his understanding of their previous conversation in which he said Wahlberg told him he had cancelled checks. After 7 o'clock Wahlberg called him on the telephone. Archie testified, and stated that he had been misunderstood as to the matter of the checks.

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Advised in advance of the nature of the testimony which Archie Roosevelt would give, Assistant Attorney General Holland was present as the personal representative of Attorney General Daugherty. Representatives Longworth of Ohio and Garrett of Tennessee, Republican and Democratic leaders in the house, followed the testimony.

Archie Roosevelt testified he had resigned as vice president of the Union Petroleum Company, the branch of the Sinclair consolidated oil corporation, in charge of the export business, after having been connected with the Sinclair company since August 1, 1915.

"Yesterday afternoon I handed in my resignation to the Sinclair consolidated oil corporation," he said. "I did this because I felt that I could not give the loyalty to my employer which he was entitled to should I remain with him."

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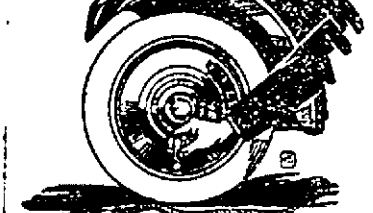
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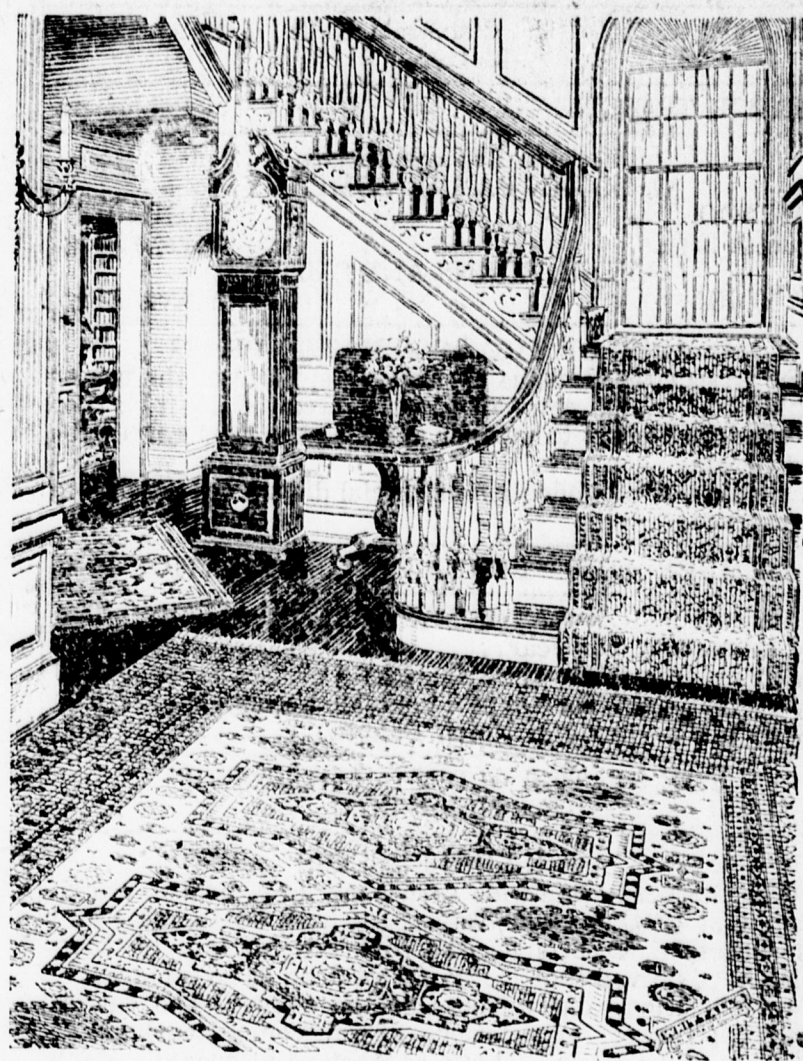
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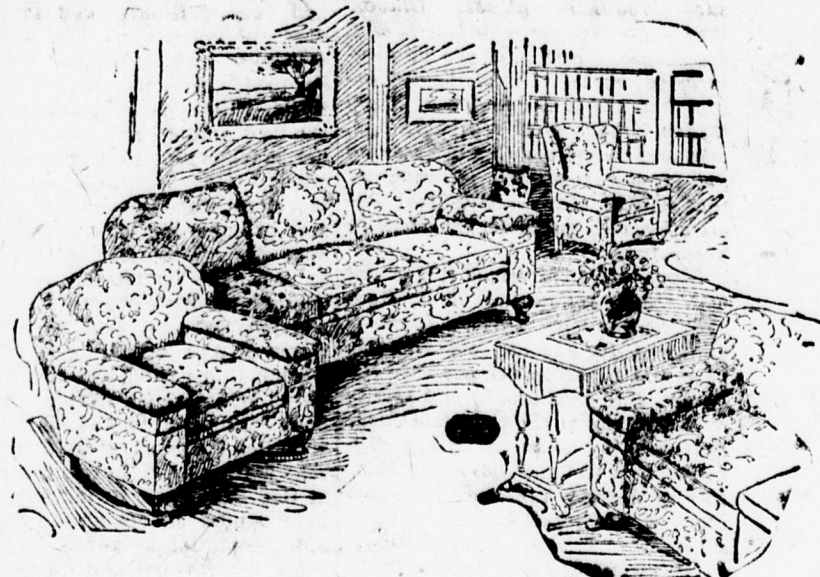
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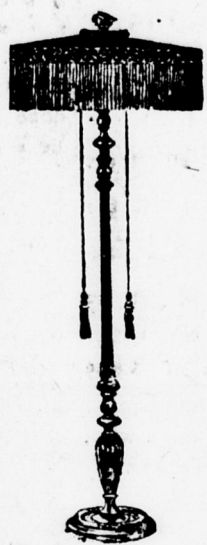
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(Continued from page 1)—mittee investigating the Teapot Dome oil lease, he informed news-paper men this afternoon.

QUITS COMPANY
Washington, Jan. 22.—Archie Roosevelt, son of Theodore Roosevelt, making an unheralded appear-

ance before the senate Teapot Dome investigating committee, declared the "amazing testimony" developed by the committee had been a contributing cause to his decision to sever his connection with the Sinclair oil interests.

Mr. Roosevelt testified, and was corroborated by his brother Theodore, assistant secretary of the navy, that G. D. Wahlberg, private secretary to Harry F. Sinclair, had told him that he had cancelled checks for \$68,000 drawn by Mr. Sinclair to the order of the foreman of the New Mexico ranch of Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior, who leased the Teapot Dome naval oil reserves to the Sinclair interests.

Mr. Wahlberg, closely pressed by members of the committee, denied he had made any statement that he had cancelled checks and declared emphatically and repeatedly that he had no knowledge of any money or other consideration having passed between Mr. Sinclair and Mr. Fall.

Testify Again
Archie and Theodore Roosevelt were recalled and reiterated their statements. Archie said he had talked with Wahlberg over the telephone about 1:30 o'clock yesterday morning, Theodore listening in, and had obtained from Wahlberg full confirmation of his understanding of their previous conversation in which he said Wahlberg told him he had cancelled checks. After 7 o'clock Wahlberg called him on the telephone, Archie testified, and stated that he had been misunderstood as to the matter of the checks.

Archie Roosevelt told the committee he came before it on the advice of his brother, the assistant secretary of the navy, to whom he had related in New York the conversation he had with Wahlberg. Theodore Roosevelt stated that he had brought his brother to Washington with him and that Secretary Denby concurred with him in the view that the conversation should be

presented to the committee.

Advised in advance of the nature of the testimony which Archie Roosevelt would give, Assistant Attorney General Holland was present as the personal representative of Attorney General Daugherty. Representatives Longworth of Ohio and Garrett of Tennessee, Republican and Democratic leaders in the house, followed the testimony.

Archie Roosevelt testified he had resigned as vice president of the Union Petroleum Company, the branch of the Sinclair consolidated oil corporation, in charge of the export business, after having been connected with the Sinclair company since August 1, 1919.

"Yesterday afternoon I handed in my resignation to the Sinclair consolidated oil corporation," he said, "I did this because I felt that I could not give the loyalty to my employer which he was entitled to, should I remain with him."

AT FARGO
W. F. Reynolds, state dairy commissioner, will be an instructor in the dairy short course in the Agricultural College at Fargo. He left today for Fargo.

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B. G. Berg, a graduate of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., was recently elected cashier of the Merchants Bank of Dalton, A. E. Luebke, another "Dakotan," has been appointed cashier of the First National Bank of Kildeer. About 226 "Dakotans" have become bank officers. Twenty-three are heads of wholesale firms.

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A TELLING SUCCESS
With the first state-wide corn show ever held in North Dakota just getting under way it can well be characterized as a success. Experts declare that the farmers by their entries have proved that North Dakota can raise remarkably fine corn. That's one purpose of the show. The entries exceed the fondest expectations of the committee both as to number and quality. That's another point scored. Many visitors are coming to the city to see the show, although few were expected in the dead of winter. That is another surprising success. The people of Bismarck and North Dakota have the responsibility of carrying out the final objective of the show—to marshal facts with which North Dakota can "tell the world" that the state is in the corn belt.

UGHT TO KEEP GUARD
Company "A," having for a second time been awarded a verdict in its personal property case in the district court here, is entitled to consider that the severest test of our system of awarding justice through trial by court and jury has been met, and that the case is definitely settled.

Company "A" at the same time is threatened with dissolution by the United States Army because it has inadequate quarters. Many business men have felt unwilling to undertake a proper backing for the guard company until the law suits were settled. These affairs would appear to be settled definitely enough now so that this attitude should not obtain.

Company "A" has had a long and glorious history in the capital city of the state. It was awarded the first letter in the alphabet in naming companies because it was located at the seat of the state administration. It proved its worth to the nation in the Spanish-American War and in the World War. It is needed to meet any emergency that may arise and as a part of the national defense. It would be sad indeed if Bismarck allowed this company to suffer the ignominy of dissolution because it would not find adequate quarters in which to drill.

It has been pointed out by state guard officials that a full National Guard company means an annual payroll of \$12,000 or so for a city. Of course, Bismarck's attitude should not be based upon any such selfish consideration. The attitude of the city ought to be that the National Guard is an integral part of our government, and it is the duty of good citizens to see that Company "A" is properly housed, properly respected and given every opportunity to function for the benefit of the state and the nation.

The citizens of Bismarck need not base their action in support of the company on either selfish or sentimental grounds. There is ample reason for supporting the company. At the same time it is difficult to conceive of one who is not stirred by the glorious past history of Company "A" and who is not moved by a desire to see that glory maintained in the future.

APACHE INDIANS
Here is sad news: The 250 Apache Indians of the Fort Apache Reservation in Arizona are going to quit their wigwams and live in what a government bulletin describes as "modern homes."

A sawmill has been started on the reservation and already 100,000 feet of lumber has been cut. The Apaches will use this lumber for building their cottages.

The Apaches also are described as having been won over to the white man's system of education. The young Apaches are going to school regularly and taking home their grade-cards to papa.

Miraculous, in a sense, for the Apaches have been the most reluctant of all Indian tribes in adopting so-called civilization.

All this is progress, of course. Why do we call it "sad news"? Well, we're glad that the Apaches are being "advanced." But somehow we have clung to the idea that the Apaches represented the last survival of the romantic old prairie days. And, when we see them surrender to the system of time clocks and efficiency experts, we feel that one of our most important illusions is destroyed.

After all, the system we call "civilization" is a dull proposition. Maybe it's "efficient" and all that. But a man chained by this system likes to feel that there is romance and adventure and freedom from civilization somewhere.

Next thing we know, the Eskimos will be discarding their candle-diet and adopting calories.

It's all a part of the system that is reaching to the far corners of the earth and making life cut-and-dried, drab and dull. The old-time salt water sailor of the frigate days is gone, and now the primitive Apache Indians follow him to seclusion.

Progress, all right, but many a man resents the passing of the few remaining outposts of romance.

HOME-BREW
Some of the big manufacturers of soft drinks are understood to have made large contributions to the prohibition campaign, with the idea that the passing of the saloon would stimulate soft drinks.

Oscar Hogensens of the Illinois Bottlers of Carbonated Beverages Association says in a speech that prohibition has dealt soft drinks a body blow. Ginger ale and the like have fallen by the wayside. The national drink is "home-brew."

This condition may be temporary. But it illustrates how any movement is apt to become a boomerang.

QUADS
William Maheny is the papa of quadruplets, three girls and a boy. He already has five other children. If you want to send him a postcard, his address is St. John, N. B., Canada. And if conversation is dull this evening, just mention Bill and his quads. It'll get more attention than anything else in today's news.

EDITORIAL REVIEW

Comments reproduced in this column may or may not express the opinion of The Tribune. They are presented here in order that our readers may have both sides of important issues which are being discussed in the press of the day.

DIVERSIFIED FARMING AND WHEAT

Many have asked themselves what effect there would be on the spring wheat industry of the Northwest if the Government decided to lend 50 million dollars to the farmers to accelerate the movement to diversified farming.

The thought never has entered the minds of the sponsors of this relief plan that, if adopted, it would have the effect of abolishing, or even seriously disrupting, the production of wheat in this region. The contention of these sponsors—and it is entirely sound and reasonable—is that the diversified farming which is to be promoted would simply give to wheat production its due and appropriate place in the logical farm economics of the Northwest.

Under the new practice it has come to be a virtually a physical impossibility for the spring wheat farmers to produce enough grain on their acres to make the crop a paying one. The great basic reason for this unfortunate condition is that wheat-raising is a business which is so dependent on the fertility of the soil that it simply will not yield enough bushels per acre to make the crop show a reasonable profit in ordinary times.

Take North Dakota for illustration. That state has lately been producing about 9½ bushels to the acre of wheat as an average. This yield compares with 15 to 18 bushels average where the benefits of diversified farming are of long standing. With balanced farming, in which dairy cows and livestock figure in their proper proportion, elements will make for soil fertility go back regularly into the ground. Waste from barns and farmyards is an excellent fertilizer. There is crop rotation. Fields are rested by the change and by lying fallow.

What has to do with wheat production? It means that a greater amount of wheat can be raised on the same acreage, or an equal amount of wheat on a smaller acreage. It means a smaller investment of capital and labor for a given output of product. It means, in short, a larger income as related to outgo. What diversified farming does as applied to wheat, it does also as applied to other field crops.

One thing government cannot do is to legislate fertility directly into the soil. The best thing it can do in this connection is to cooperate with the farmer in the establishment of such farm policies as will retain or restore soil productivity. This is one of the very important things the government will be doing if it sets up the proposed revolving fund of 50 million dollars to be lent to the farmers to enable them to buy field and barnyard animals as a logical step toward diversified farming. In whatever other way Congress may see fit to extend its aid to farmers in the Northwest, the promotion of diversified farming is fundamental. It is essential because diversified farming is the one great thing requisite to place agriculture in the spring wheat area more nearly on an economic parity with agriculture in other parts of the country where the productivity of the soil is on a higher average level.

Those who have other expenditures in mind as desirable in giving the farmer the co-operation he needs will do well to consider whether these expenditures would be of value in re-establishing original productive powers in the soil, or whether they might not rather tend toward a perpetuation of conditions that have contributed to soil impoverishment.

Let us repeat that dairying or other phases of diversified farming will not dislodge wheat as one of the major crops of the Northwest. Spring wheat will continue to be a logical factor in the general scheme of balanced husbandry, and it will be a much more desirable crop as acreage yields are enhanced by more intelligent use of the soil.

Nor is dairying likely to be overdone under the new order of agriculture. The industry necessarily will be of gradual development. Man cannot create and government cannot legislate more cows overnight. For some years to come there cannot be anything more than a transference of cows from one owner to another or from one community or state to another. Also for some years to come this transference of diversified farming to owner or habitation to another will have as its principal effect the enabling of thousands of farmers to produce butter and meat for their own use, thus necessitating a smaller cash outlay for the maintenance of their families. It is to be remembered in this connection that diversified farming is important not merely for what it makes for the farmer but for what it saves him in the running of his farm plant.—Minneapolis Tribune.

HOLLYWOOD BLUES

When a California chamber of commerce sounds a warning that its city is already large enough, only the most heedless will fail to take an attentive ear. Hollywood's chamber has folded up its tent and quit the field. Let Los Angeles and Pasadena increase and wax great. With the dawn of a great light, the business men of the movie metropolis have discovered that too many broken hearts and blasted ambitions have contributed to their prosperity. They have prescribed a chill for the movie fever.

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TOM NEWS SIMS PAPER

NATIONAL DEBT CAN BE PAID

Famous Editor Saves U. S. So Many Billions

Our national debt is announced at about \$33 billions. This is more than a burglar makes. It is even more than a bootlegger makes, except on holidays. What can be done? Why, we can get Jack Dempsey to be a good sport and pay this debt for us. That's settled.

WEATHER.
Save these cuss words you use on winter. You can use most of them on summer soon.

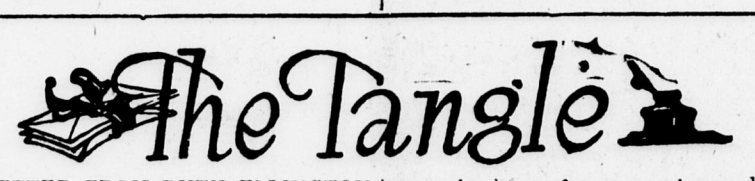
WEEKLY BOOK REVIEW.
Among books received this week which will be reviewed later are: The Seed Catalog, The Bank Book, The Calendar, The Dictionary, The Spelling Book and The Encyclopedia. All of them are bum.

MARKETS.
Cops are causing activity among the Washington bootleggers.

COMICS.
Bryan has picked a candidate. The candidate isn't Bryan.

TAX NOTICE.
No Sing Sing inmates owe income tax this year. Only one paid last year. Clouds have silk insides.

EDITORIAL.
Mexico is in trouble. Oregon got up too late one morning to get the daily crisis. Now things are so quiet you can hear a pistol shot in Mexico two blocks away. Those Mexicans eat too many hot tamales.



LETTER FROM RUTH ELLINGTON TO LESLIE PRESCOTT.

MY DEAR LESLIE:
The certified check for ten thousand dollars from Struble & Struble arrived this morning. I never knew before there was so much money in the world.

Just to think, Karl Whitney should have sent his money from London. It doesn't seem hardly possible. And yet after all, Leslie, I expect it means very little to him. Money is the easiest thing in the world to give. It is when somebody gives you a little bit of himself that you should be grateful.

This, Leslie, you have given to me and I will never forget it. The blackmailing gentleman has been hanging around our shop for two or three days. I told him you have gone to New York to arrange for the money.

Today I will try and fix up the matter. Saw Jack yesterday. Leslie, I hate to tell you, but he really is looking very much worried about something. He told me his business is getting along splendidly and that the things he needed most just now was a crackerjack stenographer to help him out at the office and you and little Jack to make him happy at home.

He asked me very particularly if I had heard from you. I told him that I had as I had asked you to do

divorced counts and the thousands of wistful, anxious faces, pleading for the chance which never came. But now the bubble has burst. Castles in Spain do not keep out the weather, which grows morose at times, even on the Pacific slopes. Hopes for the future do not pay board bills, even in a land where wishes sometimes come true. The compunctious warning of the chamber, is seconded by Mary Pickford. "Come with enough money

to last for five years and bring your mother; you'll need her," she says. The message is long overdue.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Cattle Flu Is Bad

London—Farmers throughout England are becoming alarmed at the fast spreading epidemic of hoof and mouth disease. Killing and burning are going on in many districts all over the country.

ADVENTURE OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton

"This riddle," said the Riddle Lady with a smile, "is about a most peculiar creature. I'm just about certain that nobody will guess it. Not even Nancy and Nick."

"What is it?" shouted everybody. "I'll begin at once," said the Riddle Lady, "but if anybody has won his dunce-cap in mistake for his thinking-cap, he'd better go home and change it. But there! This is the riddle:

"They have saucy snouts and curly tails, And bodies as round as milking pails, And they like to grunt and they love to squeal, And simply adore a good square meal."

"They eat sweet apples and corn and clover, And roll in the mud till they're plastered over, And root and dig with moisty nose, To find where the juiciest turnip grows."

"The story says that one day they went to town, these brothers, on pleasure bent, One went to market, one bought roast beef, And one got lost and came to grief."

"And one went to the grocery store, 'tis said, And bought him a slice of butter and bread, And one went into the barber's shop, And bought him a wig to wear on top."

"And one was stolen by the Piper's son, Who picked him up and then did run, And one, they say, called Hickory Dare, Got a flying-machine and flew up in the air."

"And one built a house of straw and hay, The better to keep the wolf away, And one built a house of boughs and sticks, And one made a house of good, hard bricks."

"But the wisest one of all these brothers, Who had more sense than all the others, Was the wise little fellow who stayed at home, And said he was satisfied not to roam."

"Now what is the name of these lusty scouts, With the curly tail and saucy snouts, Who roll in mud, and buy them wigs, And come home again, home again dancing jigs?"

"I do think that is a delicate thing to talk about in the present company," said Tom Piper, blushing very red.

"Oh, it's not delicate!" laughed the Riddle Lady. "It's quite fat and healthy. They all are! Has anybody guessed?"

"It's pigs!" called out every Riddle Lander and every Mother Goose Lander and Nancy and Nick and Humpty Dumpty and Daddy Garder, all at once.

"Well, I declare!" said the Riddle Lady. "I do believe there isn't a single dunce-cap here today. Isn't that fine! Well, everybody gets a photograph of the Five Little Pigs taken on their last trip to town. That's the prize today."

(To Be Continued)
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A THOUGHT

Not rendering evil for evil, or railing for railing, but contrariwise blessing; knowing that ye are thereunto called, that ye should inherit a blessing.—1 Pet. 3:9.

If thou art of elephant-strength or of lion-claw, still peace is, in my opinion, better than strife.—Saadi.

Ship Worker Leaves Fortune
Liverpool, Eng.—Henry Clark, a former steward on the Cunard Steamship Line, left, on his death, a fortune of 24,261 pounds. Most of his fortune was made from tips, which on his long career as a very valuable prerequisite to an official who knows how to make himself agreeable.

Philanthropic Viscount
London—Viscount Leverhulme has turned over to the Stornoway harbor trustees a list of properties including the customs house, sailors' home, naval reserve battery and adjoining parks, and several blocks of dwellings and stores.

Liners To Be Transferred
London—The Cunard liners, Caronia and Carmania, are to be transferred from the New York service to the Liverpool, Belfast and Quebec route in April, it has just been announced at the Cunard offices here.

COLD

"Pape's Cold Compound" Breaks a Cold Right Up

"BLACK OXEN" by GERTRUDE ATHERTON

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SYNOPSIS.

At a first night performance in New York, a beautiful young woman attracts attention by rising and leisurely surveying the audience through her glasses. Clavering, a newspaper columnist, and his cousin, Dinwiddie, are particularly interested. Dinwiddie declares that she is the image of Mary Ogden, a belle of thirty years ago, who had married a Count Zattiany and lived abroad. He is convinced that this is Mary's daughter; but all efforts to establish her identity prove futile.

Clavering, determined to find out who she is, follows her home from the theatre one night. Luck is with him, for she has forgotten her keys and he helps her get into the house. She asks him in and finally tells him she is the Countess Josef Zattiany, a cousin of Mary Ogden's; that she had married a relative of Mary's husband; and that Mary is ill in a sanitarium in Vienna.

He meets her at the theatre a few nights later, goes home with her afterward and tells her frankly he does not believe her story. He is keenly aware of her fascination for him, and Madame Zattiany, on her part, though long since free of illusions in regard to men, admits to herself that this particular young man has aroused her interest. Clavering becomes distraught over the whole affair.

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For the moment he hated all women and felt not only a cowardly but a decidedly boyish impulse to run away. He'd like to wander . . . wander . . . lie out in the woods and dream as he had done in his boyhood . . . before he knew too much of life . . . reading Shelley and munching chestnuts. . . Then he remembered that woods were full of snow in winter, and laughed. Well, he'd go and see Gora Dwight. She was in Washington at the moment, but would be home on Friday. She was a tonic. Strong if you like, but making no bones about it. No soft feminine seductions there. She, too, had fought life and conquered, in a way, but she showed the scars. Must have had the devil of a time. At all events a man could spend hours in her stimulating company and know exactly where he stood. No damned sex nonsense about her at all. He knew barely another woman who didn't trail round to sex sooner or later. Psychoanalysis had relieved them of whatever decent inhibitions they might have had in the past. He hated the subject. Some day he'd let go in his column and tell women in general what he thought of them. Remind them that men were their superiors in this at least: they kept sex in its proper place and were capable always of more than one idea at a time. So was Gora Dwight. He believed he'd make a confidante of her—to a certain extent. At all events he'd refresh his soul at that tranquil font.

"Gora Dwight . . . had written a number of short stories."

So ended the brief biography, which was elaborated in many articles and interviews. As for the novel, it won her instant fame and a small fortune. It was gloomy, pessimistic, exhorting, merciless, drab, sordid and hideously realistic. Its people hailed from that plebeian end of the vegetable garden devoted to turnips and cabbages. They possessed all the mean vices and weaknesses that detestable humanity has so far begotten. They were all failures and their pitiful aspirations were treated with biting irony. Futile, futile world!

The scene was laid in a small town in California, a microcosm of the stupidities of civilization and of the United States of America in particular. The celebrated "atmosphere" of the state was ignored. The town and the types were "American"; it would seem that merely some unadmitted tenuous sentiment had set the scene in the state of the author's birth, but there the concession ended. Even the climate was treated with the scorn that all old clichés deserved. (Her biographers might have contributed the information that the climate of a California interior town in summer is simply infernal.)

Naturally, the book created a furor. A few years before it would have expired at birth, even had a publisher been mad enough to offer it to a smug contented world. But the daily catalogue of the horrors and the obscenities of war, the violent dislocations that followed with their menaces of panic and revolution that affected the entire commonwealth, the irritable reaction against the war itself, knocked romance, optimism, aspiration, idealism, the sane and balanced judgment of life, to smithereens. More clichés. The world was rotten to the core and the human race so filthy the wonder was that any writer would handle it with tongs. But they plunged to their necks. The public, whose urges, inhibitions, complexes, were in a state of ferment, but inarticulate, found their release in these novels and stories and wallowed in them. The more insulting, the more ruthless, the more one-sided the disclosures of their irremediable faults and weaknesses, the more voluptuous the pleasure there had been reactions after the Civil War, but on a higher plane. The population had not been maculated by inferior races.

(To Be Continued)

Skating Rink Romance
London—A marriage in South Africa has followed a meeting at Holland Park Skating Rink, London, between Miss Dorothy Wordsworth, actress, and Captain Stephen Craven, who served in the British tank corps. Miss Wordsworth is a niece of the

late Sir William Garth, and won a scholarship at the Royal Academy of Dramatic Art.

More than 3000 mothers in the province of Ontario are now receiving benefits under the mothers' allowance act.

Social and Personal

Ladies Night
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Is Enjoyable

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A TELLING SUCCESS

With the first state-wide corn show ever held in North Dakota just getting under way it can well be characterized as a success. Experts declare that the farmers by their entries have proved that North Dakota can raise remarkably fine corn. That's one purpose of the show. The entries exceed the fondest expectations of the committee both as to number and quality. That's another point scored. Many visitors are coming to the city to see the show, although few were expected in the dead of winter. That is another surprising success. The people of Bismarck and North Dakota have the responsibility of carrying out the final objective of the show—to marshal facts with which North Dakota can "tell the world" that the state is in the corn belt.

UGHT TO KEEP GUARD

Company "A" having for a second time been awarded a verdict in its personal property case in the district court here, is entitled to consider that the severest test of our system of awarding justice through trial by court and jury has been met, and that the case is definitely settled.

Company "A" at the same time is threatened with dissolution by the United States Army because it has inadequate quarters. Many business men have felt unwilling to undertake a proper backing for the guard company until the law suits were settled. These affairs would appear to be settled definitely enough now so that this attitude should not obtain.

Company "A" has had a long and glorious history in the capital city of the state. It was awarded the first letter in the alphabet in naming companies because it was located at the seat of the state administration. It proved its worth to the nation in the Spanish-American War and in the World War. It is needed to meet any emergency that may arise and as a part of the national defense. It would be sad indeed if Bismarck allowed this company to suffer the ignominy of dissolution because it would not find adequate quarters in which to drill.

It has been pointed out by state guard officials that a full National Guard company means an annual payroll of \$12,000 or so for a city. Of course, Bismarck's attitude should not be based upon any such selfish consideration. The attitude of the city ought to be that the National Guard is an integral part of our government, and it is the duty of good citizens to see that Company "A" is properly housed, properly respected and given every opportunity to function for the benefit of the state and the nation.

The citizens of Bismarck need not base their action in support of the company on either selfish or sentimental grounds. There is ample reason for supporting the company. At the same time it is difficult to conceive of one who is not stirred by the glorious past history of Company "A" and who is not moved by a desire to see that glory maintained in the future.

APACHE INDIANS

Here is sad news: The 250 Apache Indians of the Fort Apache Reservation in Arizona are going to quit their wigwams and live in what a government bulletin describes as "modern homes."

A sawmill has been started on the reservation and already 100,000 feet of lumber has been cut. The Apaches will use this lumber for building their cottages.

The Apaches also are described as having been won over to the white man's system of education. The young Apaches are going to school regularly and taking home their grade cards to papa.

Miraculous, in a sense, for the Apaches have been the most reluctant of all Indian tribes in adopting so-called civilization.

All this is progress, of course. Why do we call it "sad news"? Well, we're glad that the Apaches are being "advanced." But somehow we have clung to the idea that the Apaches represented the last survival of the romantic old prairie days. And when we see them surrender to the system of time clocks and efficiency experts, we feel that one of our most important illusions is destroyed.

After all, the system we call "civilization" is a dull proposition. Maybe it's "efficient" and all that. But a man chained by this system likes to feel that there is romance and adventure and freedom from civilization somewhere.

Next thing we know, the Eskimos will be discarding their candle-diet and adopting calories.

It's all a part of the system that is reaching to the far corners of the earth and making life cut-and-dried, drab and dull. The old-time salt water sailor of the frigate days is gone, and now the primitive Apache Indians follow him to seclusion.

Progress, all right, but many a man resents the passing of the few remaining outposts of romance.

HOME-BREW

Some of the big manufacturers of soft drinks are understood to have made large contributions to the prohibition campaign, with the idea that the passing of the saloon would stimulate soft drinks.

Oscar Hogeness of the Illinois Bottlers of Carbonated Beverages Association says in a speech that prohibition has dealt soft drinks a body blow. Ginger ale and the like have fallen by the wayside. The national drink is "home-brew."

This condition may be temporary. But it illustrates how any movement is apt to become a boomerang.

QUADS

William Maheny is the papa of quadruplets, three girls and a boy. He already has five other children. If you want to send him a postcard, his address is St. John, N. B. Canada.

And if conversation is dull this evening, just mention Bill and his quads. It'll get more attention than anything else in today's news.

EDITORIAL REVIEW

Comments reproduced in this column may or may not express the opinion of The Tribune. They are presented here in order that our readers may have both sides of important issues which are being discussed in the press of the day.

DIVERSIFIED FARMING AND WHEAT

Many have asked themselves what effect there would be on the spring wheat industry of the Northwest if the Government decided to lend 50 million dollars to the farmers to accelerate the movement to diversified farming.

The thought never has entered the mind of the sponsors of this relief plan that, if adopted, it would have the effect of abolishing, or even seriously disrupting, the production of wheat in this region. The contention of these sponsors and it is entirely sound and reasonable, is that the diversified farming which is to be promoted would simply give to wheat production its due and appropriate place in the local farm economy of the Northwest.

Under the one-crop practice it has come to be virtually a physical impossibility for the spring wheat farmers to produce enough grain on their acres to make the crop a paying one. The great basic reason for this unfortunate condition is that wheat-raising as a business is so dependent on the fertility of the soil that it simply will not yield enough bushels per acre to make the crop show a real profit in ordinary times.

Take North Dakota for illustration. That state has lately been producing about 92 bushels to the acre of wheat as an average. This yield compares with 15 to 18 bushels average when the benefits of diversified farming are of no standing. With advanced farming, in which dairy cows and livestock figure in their proper proportion, elements will make for soil fertility go back regularly into the ground. Waste from barns and farmyards is an excellent fertilizer. There is crop rotation. Fields are tilled by the change and by being fallow.

What has this to do with wheat production? It means that a greater amount of wheat can be raised on the same acreage, or an equal amount of wheat on a smaller acreage. It means a smaller investment of capital and labor for a given output of wheat. It means, in short, a larger income as related to output. What diversified farming does as applied to wheat, it does also as applied to other field crops.

One thing government cannot do is to let the fertility directly in to the soil. The best thing it can do in this connection is to operate with the farmer in the establishment of such farm policies as will retain or restore soil productivity. This is one of the very important things the government will be doing if it sets up the proposed revolving fund of 50 million dollars to be lent to the farmers to enable them to buy field and barnyard animals as a logical step toward diversified farming. In whatever other way Congress may try to extend its aid to farmers of the Northwest, the promotion of diversified farming is fundamentally essential because diversified farming is the one great thing feasible to place agriculture in the spring wheat area more nearly on an economic parity with agriculture in other parts of the country where the productivity of the soil is on a higher average level.

Those who have other expeditious in mind as desirable in aiding the farmer the co-operation he needs will do well to consider whether these expedients would be of value in re-establishing original productive powers in the soil or whether they might not rather tend toward a perpetuation of conditions that have contributed to soil impoverishment.

Let us repeat that dairying or other phases of diversified farming will not dislodge wheat as one of the major crops of the Northwest. Spring wheat will continue to be a logical factor in the general scheme of balanced husbandry, and it will be a much more desirable factor as acreage yields are enhanced by a more intelligent use of the soil.

Nor is dairying likely to be overdone under the new order of agriculture. The industry necessarily will be of gradual development. Man cannot create and government cannot legislate more cows overnight. For some years to come there cannot be anything more than a transference of cows from one owner to another or from one community or state to another. Also for some years to come this transference of cows from one owner or habitat to another will be a slow process, involving the uprooting of thousands of farmers to produce butter and meat for their own use, and necessitating a smaller cash outlay for the maintenance of their flocks. It is to be remembered in this connection that diversified farming is important not merely for what it makes for the farmer, but for what it saves to him in the running of his farm plant—Minneapolis Tribune

HOLLYWOOD BLUES

When a California chamber of commerce sounds a warning that its city is already a "warming" place, only the most headless will fail to lead an attentive ear. Hollywood's chamber has folded up its legs and quit the field. Los Angeles and Pasadena increase and was great. With the down of a great light, the business men of the movie metropolis have discovered that too many broken hearts and blasted ambitions have contributed to the city's "warming."

Only out from the great wide open spaces where men are realists or so-called geniuses a warning issue. Hollywood's gold strike, established the "Hollywood" advertising genius made of the magic Baked of the New World. They shut their eyes to the best pals and severest critics in

divorce courts and the thousands of "Hollywood" who are "Hollywood" for the chance which never came. But now the bubble has burst. Castles in Spain do not keep out the weather, which grows morose at times, even on the Pacific shore. Hopes for the future do not pay board bills, even in a hotel where wishes sometimes come true. The compunctious warning of the chamber is seconded by Mary Pickford. "Come with enough money

EVERETT TRUE

BY CONDO

MR. TRUE, I WOULD LIKE YOU TO MEET MY FRIEND, DR. VANPILLER.



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Tom Sims NEWS PAPER

NATIONAL DEBT CAN BE PAID

Famous Editor Saves U. S. So Many Billions

Our national debt is announced at about 133 billions. This is more than a billion dollars. It is even more than a billion dollars, except on holidays. What can be done? Why can't we get Jack Dempsey to be a good sport and pay this debt for us. That's settled.

WEATHER

Save these easy words you use on winter. You can use most of them on summer soon.

WEEKLY BOOK REVIEW

Among books received this week which should be read:

The Book Catalogue, The Bank Book, The Calendar, The Dictionary, The Spelling Book and The Encyclopedia. All of them are bum.

MARKETS

Cops are causing activity among the Washington bootleggers.

COMICS

Bryan has picked a candidate. The candidate isn't Bryan.

TAX NOTICE

No Sing Sing inmates owe income tax this year. Only one paid last year. Clouds have silk linings.

EDITORIAL

Mexico is in trouble. Oregon got up too late one morning to meet the daily crisis. Now things are so quiet you can hear a pistol shot in Mexico two blocks away. Those Mexicans eat too many hot tamales.

LETTER FROM RUTH ELLINGTON TO LESLIE PRESCOTT

MY DEAR LESLIE:
I've got a check for ten thousand dollars from Struble & Struble arrived this morning. I never knew before there was so much money in the world.

Just to think, Karl Whitney should have sent all that money. It doesn't seem hardly possible. It means very little to him. Money is the easiest thing in the world to give. It is when somebody gives you a little bit of himself that you should be grateful.

This Leslie, you have given to me. I will never forget it. The black-mailing gentleman has been hanging around our shop for two or three days. I told him you have gone to New York to arrange for the money.

Today I will try and fix up the matter. Saw Jack yesterday. Leslie, I hate to tell you, but he really is looking very much worried about something. He told me his business is getting along splendidly and that the things he needed most just now was a crack-brain photographer to help him out at the office and you and little Jack to make him happy at home.

He asked me very particularly if I had heard from you. I told him that I had and he asked you to do some business for me and you had written me about it.

The shop has started with a bang. Every woman in town has been in, just as you said they would, to see what I had to offer. A great many of them—more than I dared to hope—have bought my pretty underthings, which they say are the most beautiful they have ever seen.

That fat Mrs. Latham purchased those yellow pajamas with the Paisley shawl stripes. Can you imagine her in them? She confided to me that she believed in dressing up to the last minute—even in bed.

If I were her husband and saw her in those yellow pajamas it would be her last minute. Any injury would result when they saw Exhibit A, the pajamas.

Strange, isn't it, that fate is always putting that Priscilla Bradford on your trail. I wouldn't worry about her much, however, for I mentioned to Jack that in your letter to me you said you had seen her, and what he said was not particularly polite, I assure you.

Whatever are Jack's faults, Leslie, and you know they are many, I am sure he would let no one in all the world, not even that good poison mother of his, say anything against you.

And Jack is right. RUTH.
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ADVENTURE OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton

"This riddle," said the Riddle Lady with a smile, "is about a most peculiar creature. I'm just about certain that nobody will guess it. Not even Nancy and Nick."

"What is it?" shouted everybody. "I'll begin at once," said the Riddle Lady, "but if anybody has worn his dunce-cap in mistake for his thinking-cap, he'd better go home and change it. But there! Go home the riddle:

"They have saucy snouts and curly tails, And bodies as round as milking pails, And they like to grunt and they love to squeal, And simply adore a good square meal."

"They eat sweet apples and corn and clover, And roll in the mud till they're plumped and roared over, And root and dig with moisty nose, To find where the juiciest turnip grows."

"The story says that one day they went to town, three brothers, on pleasure bent, One went to market, one bought a roast beef, And one got lost and came to grief."

"And one went to the grocery store, 'Tis said, And bought him a slice of butter and bread, And one went into the barber's shop, And bought him a wig to wear on top."

"And one was stolen by the Piper's son Who picked him up and then did run, And one, they say, called Hickory Dare, Got a flying machine and flew up in the air."

"And one built a house of straw and hay, The better to keep the wolf away, And one built a house of boughs and sticks, And one made a house of good, hard bricks."

"But the wisest one of all these brothers, Who had more sense than all the others, Was the wise little fellow who stayed at home, And said he was satisfied not to roam."

"Now what is the name of these lusty scall, With the curly tail and saucy snouts Who roll in mud, and buy them wigs, And come home again, home again dancing jigs?"

"I do think that is a delicate thing to talk about in the present company," said Tom Piper, blushing very red.

"Oh, it's not delicate!" laughed the Riddle Lady. "It's quite fat and healthy. They all ate! Has any-

body guessed?"

"A pig!" called out every Riddle Lander and every Mother Goose Lander and Nancy and Nick and Humpty Dumpty and Daddy Gardner, all at once.

"Well, I declare!" said the Riddle Lady. "I do believe there isn't a single dunce-cap here today. Isn't that fine! Well, everybody gets a photograph of the Five Little Pigs taken on their last trip to town. That's the prize today."

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A THOUGHT

Not rendering evil for evil, or railing for railing; but contrariwise blessing; knowing that ye are thereunto called, that ye should inherit a blessing.—I Pet. 3:9.

If thou art of elephant-strength or of lion-claw, still peace is, in my opinion, better than strife.—Sadi.

SHIP WORKER LEAVES FORTUNE

Liverpool, Eng.—Henry Clark, a former steward on the Cunard Steamship Line, left on his death, a fortune of 24,261 pounds. Most of his fortune was made from tips, which on big liners are a very valuable prerequisite to an official who knows how to make himself agreeable.

Phantasmic Viscount

London—Viscount Leverhulm has turned over to the Stornoway harbor trustees a list of properties including the customs house, sailors' home, naval reserve battery and adjoining parks, and several blocks of dwellings and stores.

Liners To Be Transferred

London—The Cunard liners, Caronia and Carmania, are to be transferred from the New York service to the Liverpool, Belfast and Quebec route in April, it has just been announced at the Cunard offices here.

COLDS

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Skating Rink Romance

London—A marriage in South Africa has followed a meeting at Holland Park Skating Rink, London, between Miss Dorothy Wordsworth, actress, and Captain Stephen Craven, who served in the British tank corps. Miss Wordsworth is a niece of the late Sir William Garth, and won a scholarship at the Royal Academy of Dramatic Art.

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BLACK OXEN

Published by arrangement with Associated First National Pictures, Inc. Watch for the screen version produced by Frank Lloyd with Corinne Griffith as Countess Zattiany. Copyright 1923 by Gertrude Atherton

SYNOPSIS

At a first night performance in New York, a beautiful young woman attracts attention by rising and leisurely surveying the audience through her glasses. Clavering, a newspaper columnist, and his cousin, Dinwiddie, are particularly interested. Dinwiddie declaring that she is the image of Mary Ogden, a belle of thirty years ago, who had married a Count Zattiany and lived abroad. He is convinced that this is Mary's daughter; but all efforts to establish her identity prove futile.

Clavering, determined to find out who she is, follows her home from the theatre one night. Luck is with him, for she has forgotten her keys and he helps her get into the house. She asks him in and finally tells him she is the Countess Josef Zattiany, a cousin of Mary Ogden's; that she had married a relative of Mary's husband; and that Mary is ill in a sanatorium in Vienna.

He meets her at the theatre a few nights later, goes home with her afterward and tells her frankly he does not believe her story. He is keenly aware of her fascination for him, and Madame Zattiany, on her part, though long since free of illusions in regard to men, admits to herself that this particular young man has aroused her interest. Clavering becomes distraught over the whole affair.

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Gora Dwight, after the fashion of other successful authors, had recently bought a house. It was in East Thirty-fifth street, not far from the one at present occupied by Madame Zattiany, but nearer Lexington avenue. It was one of the old monotonous brownstone houses, but with a southern exposure, and the former owner had removed the front steps and remodeled the lower floor.

The dining room, on the left of the entrance, was a long admirably proportioned room, and the large room above, which embraced the entire floor, Miss Dwight had converted into a library both sumptuous and stately. She had bought her furniture at auction that it might not look too new, and on the longer walls were bookcases seven feet high. She had collected a small library before the war; and for the many other books, some of them rare and all highly valued by their present possessor, she had haunted second-hand book-shops.

The prevailing tone of the room was brown and gold, enlivened directly with red, and the chairs and lounges were deep and comfortable. A large davenport stood before the fireplace, which had been rebuilt for Gora. There was a victrola in one corner, for Miss Dwight was amenable if her guests were seized with the desire to jazz, and a grand piano stood near the lower windows. The only evidence of sheer femininity was a tea table furnished with old pieces of silver she had picked up in France. The dining room below was a trifle gay in effect; the walls and curtains were a deep yellow and there were always flowers on the table.

New York knew so much about this new literary planet that it took for granted there was nothing further to be discovered. There was always San Francisco in the

clashes and interviews. As for the novel, it won her instant fame and a small fortune. It was gloomy, pessimistic, exhorting, merciless, drab, sordid and hideously realistic. Its people hailed from that piebald end of the vegetable garden devoted to turnips and cabbages. They possessed all the most vicious and weaknesses that detestable humanity has so far begotten. They were all failures and their pitiful aspirations were treated with biting irony. Futility, futility world!

The scene was laid in a small town in California, a microcosm of the stupidities of civilization and of the United States of America in particular. The celebrated "American" it would seem that merely some unadmitted tenuous sentiment had set the scene in the state of the author's birth, but there the concession ended. Even the climate was treated with the scorn that all old clichés deserved. (Her biographers might have contributed the information that the climate of a California interior town in summer is simply infernal.)

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HARMONY TALK AGAIN BREAKS OUT IN LEAGUE

Roy Frazier Not Alone in Efforts to Change Alignment in This State

FRAZIER FOR COOLIDGE

Raps Leaguers Who Seek To Repudiate Action of Committee in Bismarck

In spite of the outbursts of Non-partisan League editors which followed the endorsement of President Coolidge by the Republican state committee controlled by Non-partisans, there is evidence that many leaders in the Non-partisan League still are endeavoring to promote a "harmony program" under the guise of uniting all progressive factions in the state under one banner. Roy Frazier is not alone in this. It is known other league leaders are seeking to make "harmony deals."

The proposals may spring from three reasons. They may come from a desire to undermine the Independents in the state and split their ranks, they may come from a conviction that the Non-partisan League alone cannot win in the next election or they may come from a sincere desire on the part of some of the more broad-minded league leaders to end the internecine warfare in North Dakota.

Roy Frazier, who started the harmony talk, is at it again. On his return from Washington he gave out a statement in Fargo. He takes a slap at those leaguers who seek to repudiate the action of the league-controlled state committee in commending Mr. Coolidge. He says:

"The committee at Bismarck represented all factions of the party, the league members having a majority, and were in control of the actions of the committee. A resolution was passed endorsing President Coolidge. It was not agreeable to certain members of the committee, but was to an overwhelming majority."

Again Mr. Frazier says:

"As between Hiram Johnson and President Coolidge the farmers and leaguers prefer Coolidge. They mistrust Mr. Johnson as he has not been identified with the agricultural bloc and has not opposed the Eachtum mine act, and other reasons exist for opposition to the Johnson candidacy."

Again Mr. Frazier says:

"Admitting many mistakes have been made in the old league administration, and charging that their program is now being sabotaged by the present administration, it has developed that to remedy our tax problem something must be done. I am certain that our farmers desire only the best interests of the state and what is of benefit to the league farmer is also of equal benefit to his I. V. A. neighbor. We all prosper or suffer from the same causes. Let us get together and make a united effort in both factions to bring about better conditions in the state and abide by the will of the majority. This can be done if the obstructionists will not interfere and upset the desire of all those who are dependent on their work in this state for a livelihood. This program could be carried out at a state convention in the future in which both factions would have fair representation, and a convention that would nominate a candidate for governor who would carry out the program regardless of who was hit in the cut in appropriations. We need a man, not one weak kneed, but one who will carry out the pledges of a real reform platform."

The call of Burleigh Spaulding for the state convention of "Real Republicans" gives Burleigh county nine delegates. The delegates for each county are:

"Adams, 2 delegates; Barnes, 9; Benson, 6; Billings, 1; Bottineau, 5; Bowman, 2; Burke, 3; Burleigh, 9; Cass, 23; Cavalier, 7; Dickey, 6; Divide, 3; Dunn, 3; Eddy, 3; Emmets, 4; Foster, 3; Golden Valley, 2; Grand Forks, 18; Grant, 3; Griggs, 3; Hettinger, 2; Kidder, 2; LaMoure, 5; Logan, 2; McHenry, 6; McIntosh, 3; McKenzie, 3; McLean, 5; Mercer, 2; Morton, 6; Mountrail, 4; Nelson, 5; Oliver, 1; Pembina, 8; Pierce, 4; Ram-

sey, 9; Ransom, 5; Renville, 2; Richland, 11; Rolette, 3; Sargent, 5; Sheridan, 2; Slope, 2; Stark, 5; Steele, 4; Stutsman, 12; Towne, 4; Traill, 7; Walsh, 9; Ward, 12; Wells, 8; Williams, 6; total 277.

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TIRES TEAM BEATS 'DEMONS'

Take Fast Basketball Game, 46 to 34. Here

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The game was a thriller throughout for the big crowd that saw it, and the fans time and again applauded great passing and basket shooting of the Tacoma bunch.

The General Tires team was made up of Ziebell, a six foot, two, center, called the "Montreal flyer"; "Dutch" Yeager, midwest collegiate star;

John Higgins, who led Wisconsin Cardinals to a national victory over Oswego, N. Y. in 1915; "Hack" Harkins, Winlock scholastic star and Orting, Cardinal star. Ziebell's great basket shooting and passing work stamped him as a wonderful player.

The local team, with Alfson at center, Hauser and Scroggins at forwards and Shepard and Noddings at guards, played the visitors even, 8 to 8, in the first quarter. The visitors pulled away in the second, the half ending 22 to 13. The General Tires team plays the A. C. at Fargo to night.

Bismarck high will tackle Fargo high here next Saturday night in what should be another fast game.

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Ripon, Yorkshire, Eng.—A woman's desire to hide her age has persisted

here even unto death. A school teacher's will specifies no date of

her birth be made upon her tombstone.

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Don't take chances with constipation! This terrible ailment can send poisons into your system which may lead to serious diseases. The longer those poisons accumulate, the more dangerous they become. Begin at once to free your system from them.

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Mother Earth is mankind's best provider. She produces everything we wear -- everything we eat -- and everything that shelters us. In brief Mother Earth has made life possible.

So it is with your city and your merchants. Your success is dependent upon their success. You must support them or they will retrograde. YOU are to them what the PLOW is to the field.

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Back up your merchants and you prosper with them. By boosting the "Buy-at-Home" movement you help put your community ON THE MAP.

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Raps Leaguers Who Seek To Repudiate Action of Committee in Bismarck

*Assam: 3 delegates: Barnes, 3; Benson, 4; Billings, 1; Bottineau, 5; Bowman, 2; Burke, 4; Burleigh, 2; Case, 23; Cavalier, 7; Dickey, 6; Davido, 3; Dunn, 3; Ledy, 3; Emmons, 4; Foster, 3; Golden Valley, 2; Grand Forks, 18; Grant, 3; Griggs, 2; Hettlinger, 2; Kiddier, 2; LaMoine, 2; Logan, 2; McHenry, 2; McIntosh, 3; McKenzie, 3; McLean, 5; Mercer, 2; Morton, 6; Mountrail, 4; Nelson, 5; Oliver, 1; Pennington, 3; Pierce, 4; Rum-

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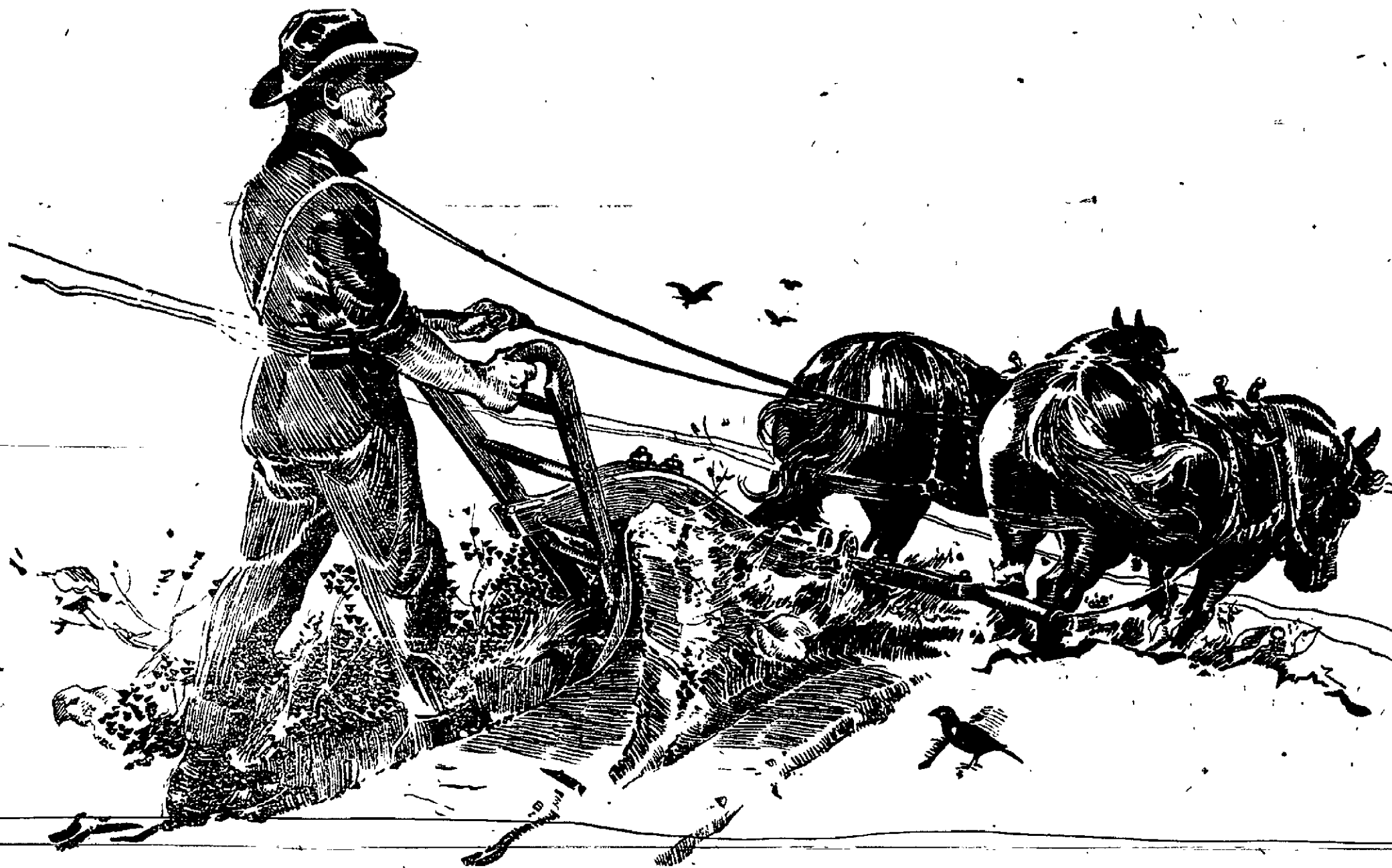
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FIFTY BILLION CIGARETTES ARE SMOKED IN YEAR

Chicago, Jan. 22.—More than 50 billion manufactured cigarettes were smoked in the United States during 1923 to say nothing of the billions that were rolled. This is seven billion more than were smoked in 1922, according to the Sears Roebuck Agricultural Foundation. The increasing use of cigarettes by women is held responsible for the additional billions smoked in 1923, according to home statisticians.

AT THE MOVIES

THE ELTINGE

Mary Philbin, Win. Collier, Jr., Myrtle Steadman and Josef Swickard will be seen in "The Age of Desire" at the Eltinge theatre Wednesday and Thursday. Will Rogers is also on the program.

CAPITOL THEATRE

The Republics Picture Corporation's "The Divine Fool" starring Wally Van, which is scheduled to open at the Capitol theatre on Friday, is said to be one of the speediest comedies produced this season.

Wally has the role of a speed-machine whose only desire in life is to be a passenger for motorcycle cops along southern California boulevards. His father had given up all hopes of him becoming any use to his firm until, when Dad faces a

business crisis, Wally makes a record dash, in his auto, from California to New York in six days and delivers into the hands of a coveting Wall Street concern a sum of money in payment of a note, held by them, and thereby saves the day. For his act, Wally not only receives the praises of his father but he also finds the "sweetest girl in the world" and after asking her a certain question of which her answer is "yes," there is a happy climax.

In the support of Van are such well known players as Patsy Ruth Miller, Alec B. Francis, Wilton Taylor, Wilfred North and Ramsey Wallace.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE BY ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given, That that certain Mortgage, executed and delivered by Margaretta Wagemann, a widow, Mortgagor, to Union Investment Company, a corporation, Mortgagee, dated the first day of July A. D. nineteen hundred and eighteen and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Burleigh, and State of North Dakota, on the 18th day of July A. D. 1918, and recorded in Book 151 of Mortgages, at page 318 and assigned by an instrument in writing to J. P. Roeder dated the 26th day of November, A. D. 1923, and filed for record in said office of the Register of Deeds on the 6th day of December 1923, and recorded in Book 274 of Miscellaneous Mortgages, on page 470, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such Mortgage and hereinafter described, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bismarck, in the County of Burleigh, and State of North Dakota, at the hour of two o'clock P. M., on the 1st day of March, 1924, to satisfy the amount due on said Mortgage on the day of sale.

The premises described, in said Mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same, are those certain premises situated in the County of Burleigh, and State of North Dakota, and described as follows, to-wit: The West Half of the Northwest quarter (W 1/2 NW 1/4) and the North half of the Southwest quarter (N 1/2 SW 1/4) of Section Twelve (12), Township One hundred forty-two (142), North of Range Seventy-five (75), West. There will be due on such Mortgage at the date of sale the sum of Fifteen hundred thirty-six and 81-100 Dollars, together with the costs of foreclosure.

J. P. REEDER, The Owner of said Mortgage.

G. OLGEIRSON, Attorney for the Owner of said Mortgage.

Bismarck, North Dakota.

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NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE BY ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given, That by reason of default therein that certain mortgage made and executed by Francis E. Young, mortgagor, to the

Investors Mortgage Security Company, Inc., Mortgagee, dated the 18th day of March, 1920, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Burleigh County, North Dakota, on the 31st day of March, 1920, in Book 143 of Mortgages, on Page 49, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in said mortgage, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bismarck, County of Burleigh, State of North Dakota, at the hour of one-thirty in the afternoon of the 4th day of March 1924, to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage on the date of sale.

The premises described in said mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described as follows, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of Section Thirty-three (33) in Township One Hundred Thirty-nine (139) North, Range Seventy-seven (77), West, Burleigh County, North Dakota.

Said mortgage contains a clause authorizing the mortgagee to declare the same in default, in case of default, and the whole of said mortgage is hereby declared due. There will be due on said mortgage on the date of sale the sum of \$500.00.

Notice of Intention to Foreclose was given as required by law, more than thirty days before the beginning of the proceedings. The default consists of the non-payment of the sum of \$492.77, principal and interest.

Dated this 14th day of January, 1924.

INVESTORS MORTGAGE SECURITY CO., INC., Mortgagee.

E. T. BURKE, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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JOHNSON TO COME LATER

Fargo, Jan. 22.—Owing to work concurrent with his senatorial duties, Senator Hiram Johnson, candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, will not be able to speak at Fargo on January 29, as originally planned, O. M. Hector, North Dakota campaign manager, announced today. Mr. Johnson will appear in this state for a series of addresses at a later date, Mr. Hector said.

It was also announced that Senator Norbeck of South Dakota will address several meetings in North Dakota in the near future on behalf of the California Senator.

Business First.

SHE—I believe you'd rather be inside playing cards with papa than out here with me.

HE—Not at all, darling. But we must have the money to get married with.—Goblin.

BISMARCK MAN HURT IN SOUTH

H. C. Rhud of Bismarck, who is spending the winter motoring through various parts of Florida, was injured in an automobile accident, according to the DeFuniak Springs, Florida, Breeze of Jan. 17. Mr. Rhud turned his car off the road to avoid a collision but was struck by another car. His head was wedged between the wind shield and top and he was extricated with difficulty. He was given medical attention, however, and soon will be able to travel again. Mr. Rhud has been at Scott's Bay, 40 miles from Marianna.

Women teachers in the United States outnumber the men 6 to 1.

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One-fifth of the Nation's area will grow trees,—and nothing else. Keep the fires out of the forest lands and America will always have enough trees to provide good lumber at reasonable cost.
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A PREDICTION
The increase of prosperity in Burleigh County will be proportionate to the increased number of good dairy cows on Burleigh County farms.
This is the prediction of the City National Bank for 1924, and because this bank seeks in every way to make its efforts count for increased prosperity, it can be counted on for sincere interest and enthusiastic co-operation in the cause of more and better dairy cows.
Come in and talk dairying with us. You will always be welcome.
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—All wealth originates in the soil—
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Do You Dress for Others or Yourself?
In business it is even more important to dress for yourself than for others. If yours is an occupation where appearances count, you will always be more conscious of your own clothes than anyone you meet.
The sense of assurance in any company that good clothes give has a business value all out of proportion to its cost. There is many a successful business man who will tell you that the most profitable investment he ever made was in good clothes.
Our custom tailored clothes made by our own tailors here in Bismarck plus our personal service assure you satisfaction.
S. E. BERGESON & SON
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Starter and Demountable Rims \$85.00 Extra
Why You Should Order Your Ford Car Now
123,607
Actual retail deliveries in December, establishing a new high record for winter buying.
Considering that, as spring approaches, retail buying will become more and more active, it is certain that there will be a greater demand for Ford Cars, Trucks and Tractors this spring than ever before.
In view of this situation, the only way in which you can be sure of obtaining delivery of a Ford Car, Truck or Tractor this coming spring or summer, is to place your order immediately.
If you do not wish to pay cash for your car, you can arrange for a small payment down and easy terms on the balance. Or you can buy on the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan.
See the Nearest Authorized Ford Dealer
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McCormick-Deering Tillage Tools

The Better the Seedbed The Bigger the Yield
This year — as always before — making the seedbed will call for fast and thorough work. The planting season will roll around with unalterable certainty, but no matter how few the days between plowing and planting you can have a profit-building seedbed by using efficient equipment.
McCormick-Deering Tillage Implements combine the three essentials—good work, long life and convenience. They are mechanically correct because their construction is based on ninety years of practical farm and factory experience. They are priced on the basis of economical quantity production, and as an investment they offer you attractive returns.

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